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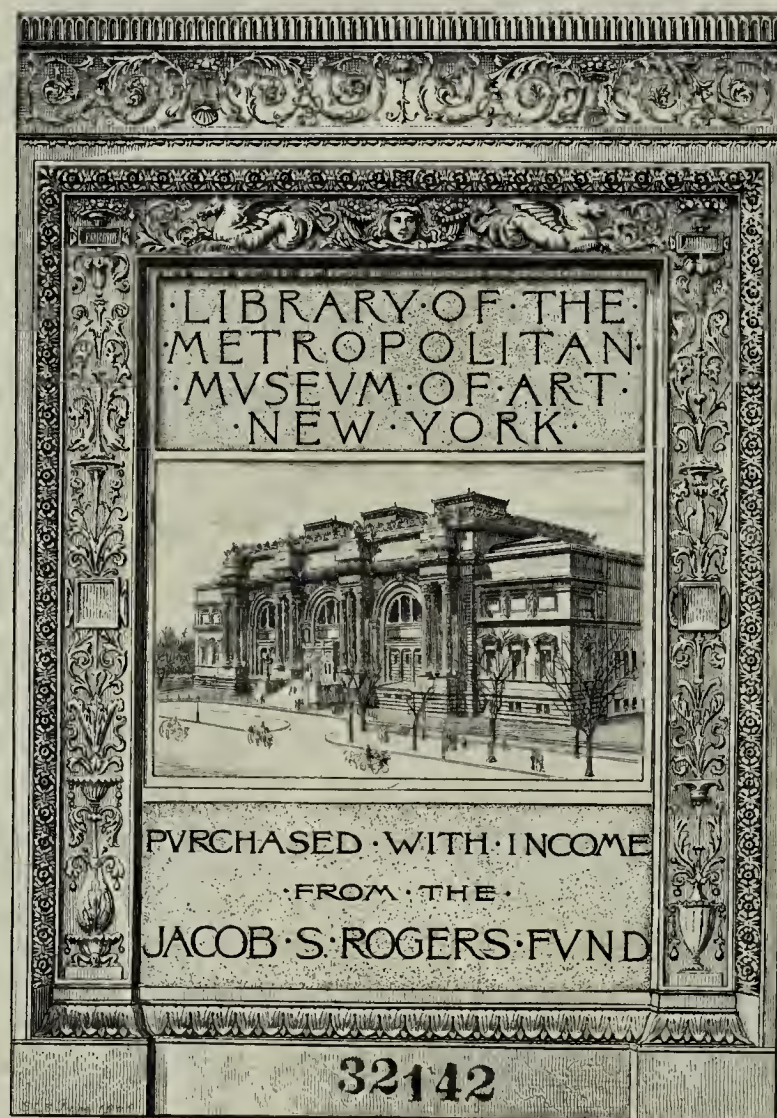


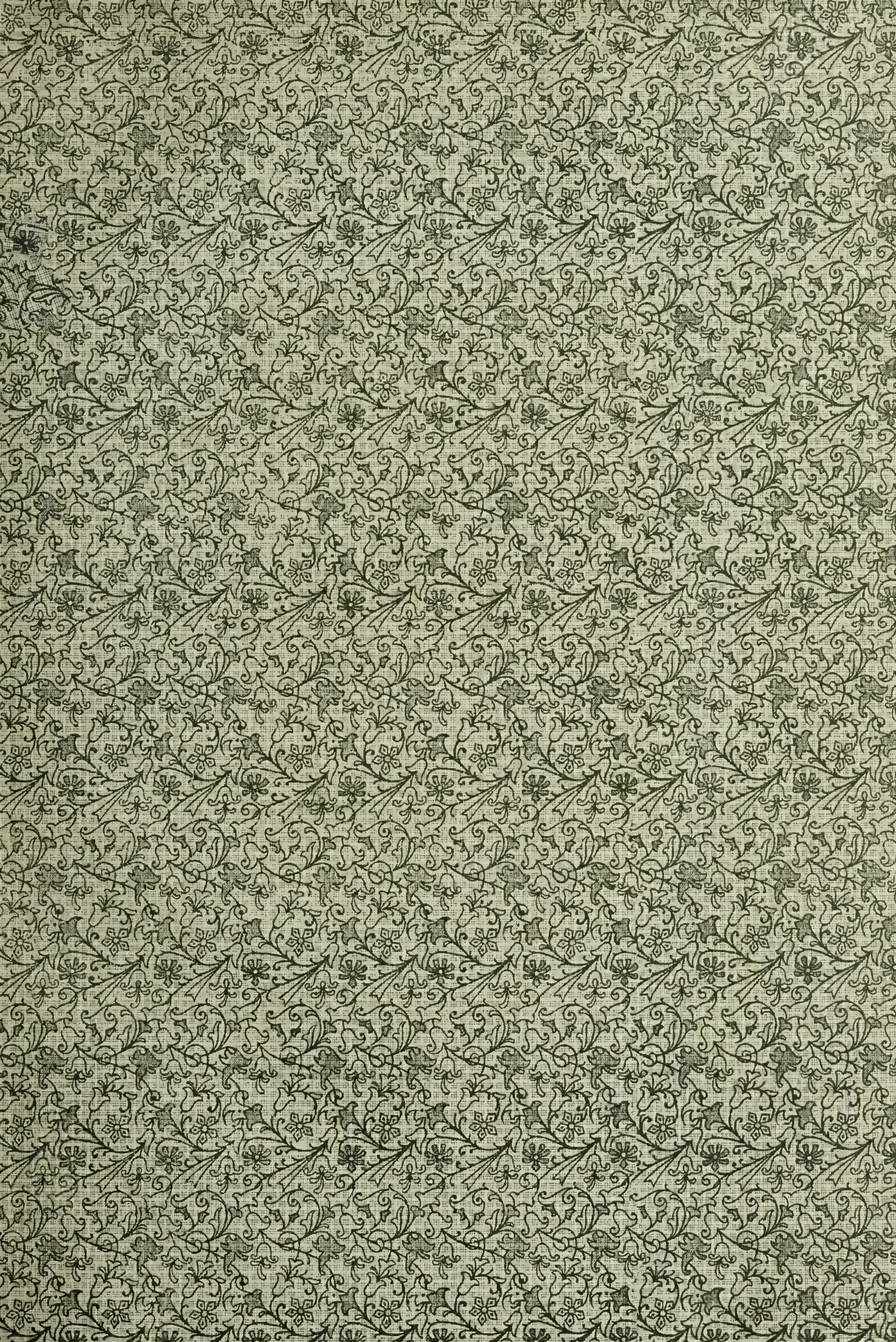
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The Émile Tabbagh Collection



AMERICAN ART GALLERIES

MADISON SQUARE SOUTH

NEW YORK

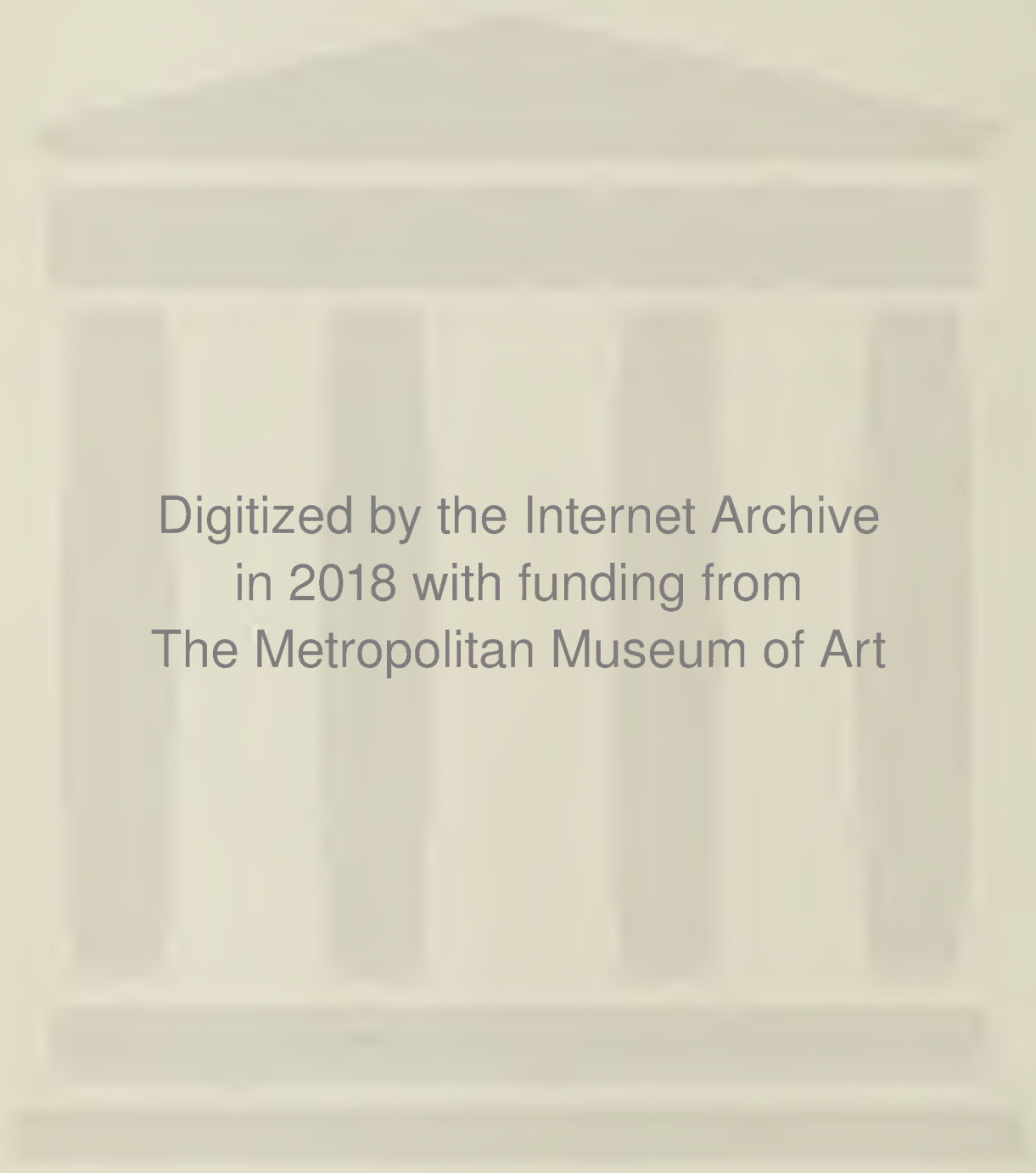
ON FREE VIEW
AT THE AMERICAN ART GALLERIES
MADISON SQUARE SOUTH, NEW YORK

BEGINNING SATURDAY, MARCH 24TH, 1917
AND CONTINUING UNTIL THE DATE OF SALE

RARE AND BEAUTIFUL
SARACENIC, PERSIAN AND
GREEK ART

TO BE SOLD AT UNRESTRICTED PUBLIC SALE
AT THE AMERICAN ART GALLERIES
ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AFTERNOONS
MARCH 30TH AND 31ST, 1917
BEGINNING EACH AFTERNOON AT 2.30 O'CLOCK

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ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE
OF
AN EXTRAORDINARY COLLECTION
OF
GREEK, SARACENIC, MESOPOTAMIAN AND PERSIAN
FAÏENCES, GLASS
AND OTHER OBJECTS
OF EXCEEDING RARITY AND ARTISTIC BEAUTY

TO BE SOLD AT UNRESTRICTED PUBLIC SALE

BY DIRECTION OF

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OF PARIS AND NEW YORK

AT THE AMERICAN ART GALLERIES
MADISON SQUARE SOUTH, NEW YORK

ON THE AFTERNOONS HEREIN STATED

CATALOGUE WRITTEN BY MR. HORACE TOWNSEND

THE SALE WILL BE CONDUCTED BY
MR. THOMAS E. KIRBY
AND HIS ASSISTANT, MR. OTTO BERNET, OF
THE AMERICAN ART ASSOCIATION, MANAGERS
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NEW YORK



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THE TABBAGH COLLECTION

This collection has been gathered together with rare knowledge and discrimination. It is formed mainly of interesting examples of Saracenic art from the ninth to the seventeenth centuries—Persian faïences and the wares of Rhages, Rakka, Sultanabad, Koubatcha, Bokhara and Kashan, besides an exceptional showing of Rhodian faïence of the sixteenth century. Among the rare Rhages faïence are a bowl and bottle, of which the former is of a very distinguished character, while the latter represents a school of decoration hitherto unknown to students and experts.

The Persian Miniatures, mainly of the sixteenth century, are of superb quality, among them appearing examples of the Indo-Persian, Mongolian, Timouride and Behzad Schools.

The ancient glass has been selected for its decorative quality as well as its historical interest. Among it will be found specimens of the Græco-Roman, Phœnician, Sidonian and Arabian ateliers, as well as a number of examples of that rarest of all ancient glass, the Mosaic or Murrhine glass of Alexandria of the first century B.C.

The rugs, chiefly dating from the seventeenth century, are of the Turkish and Persian weaves of Ghiordes, Kulak, Ladik and Sehna, as well as a well-preserved specimen of Rhodian weave of the sixteenth century.

HORACE TOWNSEND.

NEW YORK, March 20, 1917.

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THE ÉMILE TABBAGH COLLECTION

Afternoons of Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31, 1917

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FIRST AFTERNOON'S SALE

FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1917

AT THE AMERICAN ART GALLERIES

BEGINNING AT 2.30 O'CLOCK

Catalogue Nos. 1 to 175, inclusive

PERSIAN FAIENCES

Dating from the Sixteenth to the Eighteenth Centuries

NOTE: The circumstances under which all existing examples of Rhages, Rakka, Sultanabad and other faiences are procured, render it practically impossible to find a piece which is not in need of some repairs, however slight. It has, therefore, not been deemed necessary in the following catalogue to specifically refer to such repairs in each case.

750

No. 1

Robt. Glendinning

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

Lengths, 3½ and 4⅞ inches

Globular body; cylindrical neck, with relief band. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 2

PAIR OF KUTAIS FAIENCE MOSQUE GLOBES

(Seventeenth Century)

750

Lengths, 3½ and 4⅞ inches

Egg-shaped and pierced for suspension. Invested with a brilliant cream-colored glaze and decorated, in yellow, green and aubergine, with detached designs of grotesque human faces and scrolled figures.

First Afternoon

No. 3

PERSIAN FAIENCE EWER

(*Sixteenth Century*)

Height, $6\frac{1}{2}$ inches

E. Caruso

Club-shaped body, with cylindrical neck, looped handle and pointed tip. Invested with a crackled dark blue glaze stopping short of the base and decorated with a scroll design in black.

No. 4

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(*Seventeenth Century*)

Height, $7\frac{1}{2}$ inches

E. Z. Noorain

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a cream-colored glaze and decorated, in blue, with five panels of floral sprays.

No. 5

PERSIAN FAIENCE VASE

(*Seventeenth Century*)

Height, 5 inches

E. A. Khouiri

Bottle-shaped, with flat pointed arch sides. Invested with a heavy dark green glaze.

No. 6

PERSIAN FAIENCE VASE

(*Seventeenth Century*)

Height, $5\frac{1}{4}$ inches

E. Caruso

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Neck invested with a white glaze, the body with a blue glaze having a pattern of heart-shaped floral scrollings in a line of white reserve.

No. 7

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(*Seventeenth Century*)

Height, $7\frac{1}{4}$ inches

E. Z. Noorain

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a brownish-white glaze and decorated with rock forms and flowers in blue outlined in black.

No. 8

10 00
KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

Mr. Leanness
(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 5 inches

Pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 9

40 00
BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

(Seventeenth Century)

Diameter, 12¾ inches

E. Leanness

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a design of four rayed medallions in green, brown and blue, and as to the rim, with a checkered patterning in dark blue.

No. 10

1200
KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Seventeenth Century)

Height, 10 inches

A. Z. Noorian

Pear-shaped, with cylindrical neck and annular rim. Invested with a crackled ivory-colored glaze and decorated, in blue, with a scroll and rosette patterning.

No. 11

25 00
KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 5¾ inches

OTTO Berner Agass

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and three looped handles. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 12

700
PERSIAN FAIENCE PLATE

(Sixteenth Century)

Diameter, 9 inches

Mr. Prentice

Circular shape, with curved rim. Invested with an ivory-white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a conventional bird colored in blue and manganese and surrounded by conventional flowers.

First Afternoon

No. 13

H. V. Lhote
(Seventeenth Century)

1250
KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, 10¼ inches

Pear-shaped, with cylindrical neck and annular rim. Invested with a white glaze and decorated, in blue, with diagonal bandings of scrolled patterning.

No. 14

E. Larnes
(Seventeenth Century)

2250
BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, 13½ inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a boldly crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated, in blue, green and pale red, with a central four-pointed medallion from the sides of which spring stems of chrysanthemum flowers and leaves. The border has oblong panels of imbrications on a ground of deep blue.

From the Thomas B. Clarke Collection.

No. 15

14
(Sixteenth Century)

1250
KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, 8 inches

Club-shaped body, with incurved cylindrical neck. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base.

No. 16

E. A. Khouri
(Sixteenth Century)

4000
KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, 13¾ inches

Circular shape. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a design of scrollings and bryony blossoms, and as to the rim, with a meander pattern of bryony blossoms.

No. 17

A. Khajur
(Seventeenth Century)

15⁰⁰
KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, 10 inches

Pear-shaped body, with outcurved rim. Invested with a cloudy and crackled brownish-white glaze and decorated, in blue, with flower forms betraying a Chinese influence.

No. 18

h u
(Sixteenth Century)

12⁵⁰
KIRMAN FAIENCE EWER

Height, 7½ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and looped handle. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 19

E. Caruso
(Seventeenth Century)

37⁵⁰
BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, 11¾ inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, in brown, blue and green enamels, as to the center, with a quatrefoiled figure, with round medallion center of scrollings on a hatched ground, and as to the rim, with a checkered pattern.

No. 20

Chas. Daniel
(Seventeenth Century)

18⁰⁰
KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, 7½ inches

Squat pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck. Invested with a bluish white glaze stopping short of the base and decorated with nine panels outlined with a double line in blue and containing floral sprays in blue and brown.

No. 21

J. C. Noorian
(Seventeenth Century)

12⁵⁰
KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, 11 inches

Pear-shaped, with annular rim. Invested with a white glaze and decorated, in light blue, with diagonal bands of scrolled patterning.

First Afternoon

No. 22

E. A. Khouri
(Seventeenth Century)

750
PERSIAN FAIENCE BOTTLE

Height, 6 inches

Melon-shaped body, cylindrical neck and spreading scalloped rim. Invested with a heavy blue glaze and decorated with four segmental panels of raised floral scrolls in white reserve on dark brown grounds.

No. 23

E. Caruso
(Seventeenth Century)

2500
BOKHARA FAIENCE DEEP PLATE

Diameter, 11¾ inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a white glaze and decorated, in brown, blue and green, as to the center, with a bird form surrounded by branches of lilies, hyacinths and leaves, within a border of rosette forms.

No. 24

E. + E. Caruso
(Sixteenth Century)

1000
KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, 5 inches

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and two looped panels. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 25

E. A. Khouri
(Seventeenth Century)

750
PERSIAN FAIENCE PERFUME BOTTLE

Height, 4½ inches

Spade-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and flat and molded sides, the former decorated with panels of Saracenic interlace-ments in relief. Invested with a heavy blue glaze.

No. 26

u u u
(Seventeenth Century)

750
PERSIAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, 6¼ inches

Pear-shaped, with cylindrical rim and fluted sides. Invested with a heavy bluish green glaze.

No. 27

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE (Seventeenth Century)

3250
Diameter, 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches J. G. Norman

Circular shape. Invested with a crackled white glaze. Interior decorated with a design of two storks and water plant forms, the border with scrolled branches and leaves, all in dark blue.

No. 28

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE (Sixteenth Century)

2750
Height, 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches E. Caruso

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck, and three looped handles. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base.

No. 29

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE (Sixteenth Century)

3500
Diameter, 13 $\frac{7}{8}$ inches Chas. W. Daniel

Circular-shaped, with curved rim. Invested with a crackled white glaze and decorated, in light and dark blue, as to the center, with a large medallion of interlaced design, and as to the rim, with heart-shaped medallions. Back decorated with radiating lines in blue.

No. 30

BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE (Seventeenth Century)

3800
Diameter, 14 inches Prof. Dr. Linkhorte

Circular shape, with curved rim. Invested with a greenish glaze and decorated, as to the center, with design of eight radiating pointed leaves within a circular medallion, and as to the rim, with a meander ribbon pattern on a checkered ground.

No. 31

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Seventeenth Century)

Height, 10 inches

Pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated, in light blue, with medallions and leaf forms.

No. 32

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 5¾ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck, annular rim, and three looped handles. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 33

BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

(Seventeenth Century)

Diameter, 13¾ inches

Circular shape. Invested with a cream-colored glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a medallion of white reserve bordered by a scroll design and surrounded by four circular scrolled medallions on a blue ground. There are two borders, one of leaf design in white reserve, the other of a meander leaf scroll design, also in white reserve.

No. 34

PERSIAN FAIENCE PERFUME BOTTLE

(Seventeenth Century)

Height, 14 inches

Pear-shaped, with cylindrical neck and metal cover. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the body, with branches of peony flowers; as to the neck, with diapered scrollings—all betraying a Chinese influence, and in underglaze blue.

First Afternoon

No. 35

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

E. Carnus
(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 14 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

125⁰⁰
Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and two flat looped handles. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base.

No. 36

CAUCASIAN FAIENCE PLATE

H. Prentice
(Eighteenth Century)

Diameter, 16 inches

65⁰⁰
Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a heavy brown and green glaze and decorated, as to the rim, with alternate Imperial eagles and honeysuckle figures in high relief.

No. 37

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

(Seventeenth Century)

Height, 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

40⁰⁰
Pear-shaped, with cylindrical neck and four straight loop handles. Invested with a heavy turquoise-blue glaze and decorated with a band of raised meander patterning. (One handle repaired.)

No. 38

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE DEEP DISH (Sixteenth Century)

Diameter, 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

50⁰⁰
Circular shape. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze and decorated, as to the interior, with a design of detached leaf and floral scrollings, and as to the rim, with a meander pointed-leaf design with voluted scrollings.

No. 39

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

E. Carnus
(Sixteenth Century)

Diameter, 13 $\frac{7}{8}$ inches

35⁰⁰
Circular shape, with curved rim. Invested with a crackled ivory-colored glaze and decorated, as to the center, in light and dark blue, with rock forms, flowers and birds. The rim in a pattern of pointed leaves in white reserve on a dark blue ground.

First Afternoon

No. 40

J. P. Lusser
(Sixteenth Century)

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

1250

Height, 7½ inches

Club-shaped form, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base.

No. 41

E. Larpus
(Sixteenth Century)

PERSIAN FAIENCE VASE

2500

Height, 13¼ inches

Pear-shaped form, with cylindrical neck and four flat looped handles. Invested with a blue glaze and decorated, as to the body, with vertical panels of incised leaf ornament and with bands of flutings and acanthus-leaves also incised.

No. 42

Mr. Konehaghi
(Seventeenth Century)

KOUBATCHA PLATE

3200

Diameter, 13½ inches

Circular form. Invested with a white crackled glaze. Center occupied by a pattern of flowers and leaves surrounded by a border of serrated leaf design; the rim, with flower forms and scrollings of Chinese influence. All in underglaze blue.

ANCIENT GLASS OF GRÆCO-ROMAN, ALEXANDRIAN, SIDONIAN, ARABIAN AND OTHER MAKES

Chiefly of a Fine Iridescence

No. 43

J. B. Noorian
(First Century B.C.)

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE

1250

Height, 4 inches

Greenish-white glass. Pear-shaped body and cylindrical neck. Rich silvery iridescence.

No. 44

PHŒNICIAN GLASS BOTTLE

(*First Century B.C.*)

Height, 3¼ inches

White glass. Globular body, with cylindrical neck and flat rim. The body decorated with a pressed reticulated patterning. Silvery patina and rich iridescence.

No. 45

SIDONIAN GLASS VASE

(*First Century A.D.*)

Height, 3¾ inches

Molded purple glass. Pear-shaped body, decorated in relief with a pattern of reticulations, cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Original condition.

No. 46

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS VASE

(*First Century B.C.*)

Height, 3¼ inches

White glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and flat rim. Silvery iridescence.

No. 47

SIDONIAN GLASS VASE

(*First Century A.D.*)

Height, 3¾ inches

Purple glass. Cylindrical body, with annular rim and base and two loop handles of applied glass. Slight iridescence.

No. 48

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS VASE

(*First Century B.C.*)

Height, 2½ inches

White glass. Pear-shaped body, with pinched-in sides, cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Silvery iridescence.

No. 49

18 **SIDONIAN GLASS "GRAPE" BOTTLE**

N. S. Mury
(First Century B.C.)

Height, 5 inches

Purplish blown and molded glass. Pear-shaped body, formed in relief as bunch of grapes, cylindrical neck, spreading rim and annular base. Slight iridescence.

No. 50

75 **ÆGYPTO-PHŒNICIAN GLASS VASE**

A. Khayal
(Second Century B.C.)

Height, 5 inches

Purple glass. Body of cylindrical form, with spreading rim. Rich silvery iridescence.

No. 51

10 **GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE**

h
(First Century B.C.)

Height, 5 inches

Amber-colored glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and flat rim. Entirely covered with a dark patina touched with silvery iridescence.

No. 52

120 **ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE**

ll
(Fourth Century B.C.)

Height, 4 inches

Turquoise-blue glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and flat rim. Partial silvery iridescence.

No. 53

40 **SYRIO-ARABIAN GLASS BOTTLE** (Fourth Century A.D.)

Otto Berner Agass
Height, 4½ inches

Green glass. Pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck and spreading rim. The body decorated with five applied ornaments of "trailed" glass and applied quilled glass band around the shoulders. Silvery iridescence.

No. 54

H. Schurman

60
SYRIAN GLASS BOTTLE

(*Eighth Century A.D.*)

Height, 4 inches

Olive green glass. Pear-shaped with cylindrical neck. Rich iridescence.

No. 55

A. Schurman

750
EGYPTIAN GLASS VASE

(*Third Century A.D.*)

Height, 3½ inches

Yellowish glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and spreading rim decorated with varicolored veinings. Rich iridescence.

No. 56

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750
SIDONIAN GLASS BOTTLE

(*First Century A.D.*)

Height, 4 inches

Purple glass. Hexagonal body, with cylindrical neck, decorated with beaded ornamentation in relief. Slight iridescence.

No. 57

V. Prætorius

1250
GRÆCO-ROMAN TERRA-COTTA PLATE

(*Third Century B.C.*)

Diameter, 3¾ inches

Circular shape, of fine red terra-cotta. Decorated, as to the center, with an incised circular medallion with the word "Kopanou" in Corinthian Greek characters, showing the owner's name to have been "Kopanos."

No. 58

11

11

750
PHŒNICIAN GLASS VASE

(*First Century B.C.*)

Height, 3¾ inches

Purple glass. Cylindrical fluted body, with spreading rim. Rich iridescence.

No. 59

SYRIO-EGYPTIAN GLASS BOTTLE

S. Levy
(Eighth Century A.D.)

1300
Height, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Molded purple glass. Pear-shaped body, decorated with circular ringed medallions, cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Rich varicolored iridescence.

No. 60

ALEXANDRIAN GLASS PHIAL

A. Khayr
(First Century B.C.)

750
Height, $3\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Yellowish onyx glass. Decorated with dragged zigzags in white, with three horizontal bands. Rich iridescence.

No. 61

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS VASE

u b
(Fourth Century B.C.)

1000
Height, $3\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Amber-colored glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck, spreading rim and two applied looped handles of white glass. Golden iridescence.

No. 62

ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE

S. J. Nourani
(First Century B.C.)

1750
Height, $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Yellowish white glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and annular rim. Silvery iridescence.

No. 63

ARABIAN GLASS EWER

S. Levy
(Eighth Century A.D.)

1200
Height, $5\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Blown and molded dark blue glass. Pear-shaped, with straight sides, pointed spout and applied looped handle. The body decorated with a molded reticulated patterning. Slight iridescence.

No. 64

GRÆCO-ROMAN UNGUENTARIUM

S. Levy
(Fourth Century B.C.)

25⁰⁰
Height, $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Honey-colored glass. Formed of twin tubes of columnar shape bound by spiral filament of glass with two straight looped handles. Rich silvery iridescence.

No. 65

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE (First Century B.C.)

12⁵⁰
Height, $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Dark blue glass. Globular-shaped body, with cylindrical neck encircled by spiral glass filament. Silvery patina and rich iridescence.

No. 66

SIDONIAN GLASS PASTE BOWL (First Century A.D.)

E. Caruso
53⁰⁰
Height, $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches; diameter, $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Opaque cream-colored glass paste. Coupe-shaped, with curved rim and annular foot. In original condition.

(Illustrated)

Note: This and the succeeding example are exceptionally well-preserved specimens of the remarkable vitreous paste material of the early Sidonian and Tyrian glass-workers.

No. 67

SIDONIAN GLASS-PASTE BOWL (First Century B.C.)

40⁰⁰
Height, 1 inch; diameter, $3\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Gray opaque glass. Flat coupe-shaped, with straight sides. Mottled with white enamel and partially coated with a white patina.

No. 68

M. E. Wallace

60⁰⁰
GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS VASE

(Fourth Century B.C.)

Height, $5\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Thick wheel-finished opaque glass. Amphora-shaped, with cylindrical neck and two applied looped handles of clear yellowish glass. The body decorated with "dragged" loops of feather patterning in yellow, white and brown on a dark ground.

(Illustrated)

No. 69

H. Schumi

15⁰⁰
SIDONIAN GLASS VASE

(First Century A.D.)

Height, $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Purple glass. Pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck and incurved rim. Rich iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 70

A. Thayer

5⁰⁰
GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE

(First Century B.C.)

Height, $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Honey-colored glass. Pear-shaped and fluted body, with cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Partial iridescence.

No. 71

E. Carnes

1.75⁰⁰
GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS VASE

(First Century B.C.)

Height, $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Amber-colored glass. Pear-shaped body, with short curved neck and two looped handles of applied purple glass. The body is decorated with a band of pinched-out "thorns." Silvery iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 72

Otto Bernal Aguirre

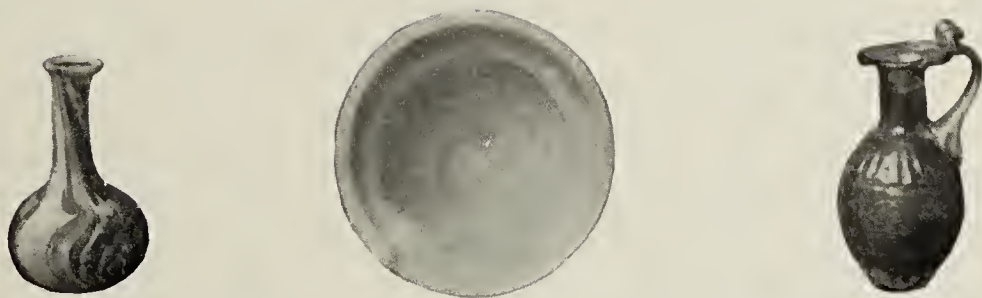
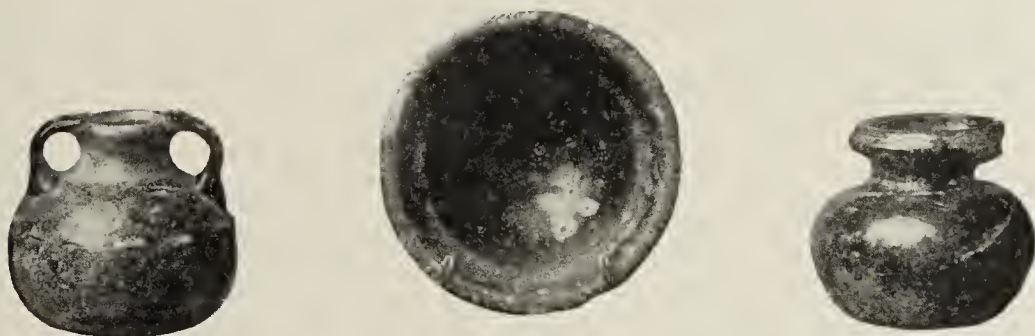
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ALEXANDRIAN GLASS BOTTLE

(First Century B.C.)

Height, 3 inches

Yellow onyx glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck decorated with marblings of blue and white. Silvery iridescence.

(Illustrated)



GRECO-ROMAN, SIDONIAN, ALEXANDRIAN GLASS

No. 75
No. 71
No. 72

No. 68
No. 74
No. 66

No. 76
No. 69
No. 73

No. 73

S. Levy

SIDONIAN GLASS EWER

(First Century A.D.)

2500

Height, $3\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Purple glass. Pear-shaped body, with applied loop handle. The body decorated with flutings and a band of scroll ornamentation in relief. Rich silvery iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 74

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ALEXANDRIAN GLASS BOWL

(First Century B.C.)

2400

Height, $1\frac{3}{4}$ inches; diameter, $3\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Mosaic or Murrhine glass. Coupe-shaped, on annular foot. Ground of greenish glass mottled with red and white in a "Maddrepore" patterning. Partial iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 75

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SIDONIAN GLASS BOTTLE

(First Century A.D.)

3000

Height, 4 inches

Thick dark blue glass. Globular-shaped body, with cylindrical neck encircled by a spiral filament of white glass. Rich purple iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 76

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SIDONIAN GLASS BOTTLE

(First Century B.C.)

3000

Height, $3\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Blown and molded greenish-white glass. Pear-shaped body, decorated with bands of reticulated patterning, cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Patina and rich varicolored iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 77

GRÆCO-ROMAN FAIENCE HAND LAMP

(Third Century B.C.)

Length, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Boat-shaped oil receptacle, with pointed wick nozzle and looped carrying handle. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, the exterior decorated in relief with a dotted pattern.

No. 78

ALEXANDRIAN GLASS BOWL

(First Century B.C.)

Height, $1\frac{3}{4}$ inches; diameter, $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Mosaic or Murrhine glass. Coupe-shaped, with flat rim on annular foot. Mottled with oval-shaped tesserae of white, brown and turquoise-blue glass.

No. 79

SIDONIAN GLASS "JANUS" BOTTLE

(First Century B.C.)

Height, $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Blown and molded greenish glass. Barrel-shaped body, with two human heads in relief, and cylindrical neck. Rich silvery iridescence.

No. 80

ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE

(First Century A.D.)

Height, 3 inches

Blue onyx glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Decorated with varicolored veinings. Slight iridescence.

No. 81

ALEXANDRIAN GLASS BOWL

(First Century B.C.)

Height, 2 inches; diameter, $3\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Mosaic or Murrhine glass. Coupe-shaped, with outcurved rim and annular foot. Amber-colored ground, with irregular tesserae of brown, black and white glass. Partial iridescent patina.

No. 82

ARABIC GLASS GOBLET

(Ninth Century A.D.)

Height, $4\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Of white glass. Conical-shaped, with incurved sides decorated with a band of Kufic inscriptions in blue, red, white and gold enamel bordered by lines of white and red enamel. Rich silvery iridescence. (Repaired.)

No. 83

COLLECTION OF FOUR ASSYRIAN CYLINDERS

(Eighteenth Dynasty)

Black obsidian. Cylindrical shapes of various sizes longitudinally pierced and engraved in intaglio with figures and inscriptions in cuneiform characters.

No. 84

COLLECTION OF SIXTEEN ASSYRIAN CYLINDERS

(Eighteenth Dynasty)

Black obsidian. Cylindrical shapes of various sizes longitudinally pierced and engraved in intaglio with figures and inscriptions in cuneiform characters.

PERSIAN AND SARACENIC FAIENCES

Dating from the Ninth to the Thirteenth Centuries

RAKKA, KOUBATCHA, SULTANABAD, RHODIAN
AND OTHER MAKES

No. 85

RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE

(Sixteenth Century)

Diameter, $9\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Circular shape, with deep center and flat rim. Invested with a greenish-white glaze and decorated in green, blue, yellow and red enamel, with a diaper pattern extending over interior and rim of connected circular medallions enclosing spiral scrolls, blue cinquefoils and red quatrefoils.

No. 86

E. A. Khouri
(Sixteenth Century)

3506
RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, 12 inches

Circular, with flat rim and scalloped edge. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a circular medallion enclosing circular rosettes in white reserve dotted with red enamel on a ground of imbrications, and surrounded by a border of a string of red and blue beads with small leaves in green, and as to the rim, with similar rosettes dotted with red on an imbricated ground of green. The back decorated with detached leaves and floral sprays in blue. (Repaired.)

No. 87

E. Leary
(Sixteenth Century)

606
RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with the figure of a man in green robe with blue sleeves, red hat and trousers, flanked by pointed serrated leaves. One hand is on a dagger in his girdle, the other holds a flower. The rim is decorated with a pointed-leaf pattern in blue and green.

No. 88

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(Sixteenth Century)

8002
RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, 11 $\frac{3}{8}$ inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, in overglaze blue and green enamel, with a central medallion of pointed serrated leaves surrounded by a Saracenic trefoil border of green and white reserve, and as to the rim, with a border of spirals in blue and black on a white ground. The back is patterned with fleurettes in blue and green.

No. 89

m. T. Andrian
(Sixteenth Century)

806
KOUBATCHA FAIENCE DEEP DISH

Diameter, 14 inches

Circular shape. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze and decorated, as to the interior, with a design of scrolled ribbons and pointed leaves, and as to the rim, with a design of heart-shaped scrollings.

No. 90

E. Barnes
(Sixteenth Century)

RHODIAN FAIENCE PITCHER

140⁰⁰

Height, $7\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and round looped handle. Invested with a white glaze and decorated, as to the body, with a diapered pattern of imbrications in black and blue, and with pomegranate-shaped medallions of white reserve with red enamel dottings.

(Illustrated)

No. 91

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RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE

(Sixteenth Century)

140⁰⁰

Diameter, $11\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Circular shape, of shallow saucer form. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a circular medallion occupied with six floral sprays in white reserve touched with green and brown on a blue ground and surrounded by a border of Saracenic trefoil pattern in black, green and blue.

(Illustrated)

No. 92

G. M. Andrews

RHODIAN FAIENCE PITCHER

(Sixteenth Century)

75⁰⁰

Height, $8\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and looped handle. Invested with a brilliant white glaze and decorated, as to the body, with curved pointed leaves and carnations in green, blue and red. Around the shoulder is a raised band.

(Illustrated)

No. 93

S. Levy

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

(Seventeenth Century)

38⁰⁰

Diameter, $8\frac{1}{4}$ inches

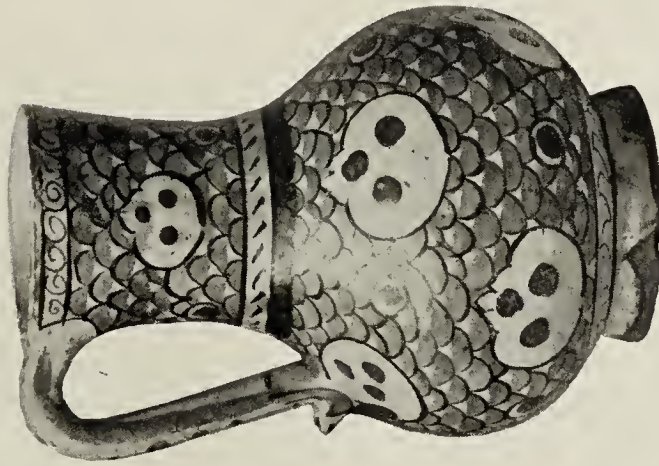
Circular shape, with flat rim. White crackled glaze, decorated, as to the center, with a circular medallion occupied by flower forms, surrounded by a border of diamond-shaped panels formed by intersecting curved line enclosing fleurettes. All in underglaze blue and red and yellow enamels.



No. 92



No. 91



No. 90

RHODIAN FAIENCE PITCHERS AND PLATE OF THE SIXTEENTH CENTURY

No. 94

E. Barnes

DAGHESTAN FAIENCE BOTTLE

(Sixteenth Century)

6010

Height, 10¾ inches

Rectangular shape, with short cylindrical neck. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, in brown and blue, on two sides with figures of warriors on horseback surrounded by flower forms, and on the other two sides by a design of palm leaves.

No. 95

C. B. Hoyle

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

(Seventeenth Century)

5711

Diameter, 13 inches

Circular form. Invested with a crackled white glaze. The center occupied by a design of water fowl, rock forms and foliage, the rim with branches of fruits and leaves symmetrically disposed, all in underglaze blue.

No. 96

E. Boughton

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

6506

Height, 9 inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck, spreading rim and foot. Invested with a partially crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated, as to the body, with the figure of a woman in a blue robe served by attendants, in a flowery landscape, with wine cups and vases in blue, yellow, brown and green, and as to the neck, with a lily blossom bordering.

No. 97

M. Edgerton

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE DEEP DISH (Sixteenth Century)

23811

Diameter, 14 inches

Circular shape, with scalloped edge. Invested with a green blue glaze and decorated, in black, as to the interior, with a medallion of two fish surrounded by a quatrefoil border. The rim with panels in reserve of Arabic inscriptions and a meander leaf-patterned border.



No. 98

E. Leary
(Sixteenth Century)

200°
KOUATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, $14\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a crackled ivory-colored glaze. Decorated in colored enamels, as to the center, with a medallion formed of four blossoms with pointed leaves and four palmettes springing from a quatrefoiled square. The border, with panels of white reserve, occupied with floral sprays on a ground of deep blue.

No. 99

E. Prentice
(Sixteenth Century)

90°
KOUATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, $15\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a design of curving pointed leaves in white reserve outlined in manganese with flowers in white reserve outlined in black. Surrounded by a border of eight panels containing flower forms in blue, manganese and light brown.

No. 100

E. Caruso
(Sixteenth Century)

100 00
KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

Diameter, 13 $\frac{3}{8}$ inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a crackled white glaze and decorated in black, red, blue and brown, as to the interior, with a central medallion of flower forms, and as to the rim, with a lozenge-shaped diaper in black enclosing dots of red, brown, gray and blue enamels.

No. 101

N. T. Wallace

25 00
RAKKA FAIENCE EWER

(Twelfth Century)

Height, 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck, pinched-in spout and flat looped handle. Invested with a fine turquoise-blue glaze and decorated in black, as to the body and neck, with panels of scrolled pattern and wide bands.

No. 102

H. Staab
(Twelfth Century)

25 00
RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

Height, 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base. Silvery iridescence.

No. 103

E. Caruso
(Twelfth Century)

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RAKKA FAIENCE DEEP PLATE

Diameter, 9 $\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Circular shape, with curved rim. Invested with a crackled ivory-colored glaze decorated with four rings, symmetrically disposed in alternate overglaze blue and green.

No. 104

2800 *RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER*

E. Barnes
(Twelfth Century)

Height, 5 inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a cream-colored glaze. Entirely coated with a silvery iridescence.

No. 105

2800 *SULTANABAD FAIENCE BOWL*

N. T. Wallace
(Thirteenth Century)

Height, 3 inches; diameter, 8¾ inches

Coupe-shaped, with annular foot. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze and decorated in black, as to the interior, with concentric circles of lines of blue reserve.

No. 106

2750 *RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER*

K. Oshtia
(Twelfth Century)

Height, 5½ inches

Pear-shaped body, with slender cylindrical neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base and decorated in black, as to the body and neck, with lines and bands of lozenge-shaped dots and scrolls. Silvery iridescence.

No. 107

2500 *RAKKA FAIENCE BOWL*

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(Twelfth Century)

Height, 2¾ inches; diameter, 5¼ inches

Coupe-shaped, with annular foot. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base and decorated in black, as to the interior, with lines and bands of scrolled pattern, and as to the exterior, with radiating lines.

No. 108

H. Weisberger
(Twelfth Century)

SULTANABAD FAIENCE BOWL

2750

Height, 4¼ inches; diameter, 7¼ inches

Melon-shaped, with curved rim on annular foot. Invested with an ivory glaze and decorated, in brown, green and blue, the interior with intersecting lines of green, the exterior divided into compartments decorated alternately with heart-shaped medallions and scrolls of white reserve and with Saracenic interlacements in brown on blue grounds.

No. 109

A. Doughton
(Twelfth Century)

RAKKA FAIENCE BOTTLE

3000

Height, 7¼ inches

Pear-shaped body, with bulbous cylindrical neck. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, the body decorated, in black, with a scrolled patterning. Fine iridescence.

No. 110

A. Khayr
(Twelfth Century)

RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER

2800

Height, 6 inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a cream-colored glaze stopping short of the base and decorated in light blue, as to the body, with Arabic inscriptions. Fine iridescence.

No. 111

K. Oshumi
(Twelfth Century)

RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER

1250

Height, 4¼ inches

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base and decorated, in black, with horizontal bandings and scroll designs.

No. 112

Edto Burnes Agnew
(Fifteenth Century)

PERSIAN FAIENCE BOWL

Height, 2¾ inches; diameter, 6¾ inches

2750 Coupe-shaped, with serrated edge. Invested with a finely crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 113

Mr James
(Twelfth Century)

RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER

Height, 5¼ inches

2800 Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, the neck decorated, in black, with a band of zigzags, the body with a band of scrolled patterning. Rich iridescence.

No. 114

S. Levy
(Thirteenth Century)

1500 **SULTANABAD FAIENCE "BUDDHA"**

Height, 5 inches

Bottle formed as a human figure. Invested with a finely crackled turquoise-blue glaze, with a scrolled decoration in black. Partial iridescence.

No. 115

K. Ashura
(Twelfth Century)

RAKKA FAIENCE EWER

Height, 5 inches

2750 Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck, annular foot and flat looped handle. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base. The body decorated, in black, with scrollings, and the neck with a band of hatched ornamentation. Partial silvery iridescence.

No. 116

H. Oshima
(Fourteenth Century)

SULTANABAD FAIENCE EWER

Height, 7½ inches

35⁰⁰

Pear-shaped body, with spreading neck and round looped handle. Invested with a heavy turquoise-blue glaze, stopping short of the base, the body decorated, in black, with vertical panels occupied alternately by flower forms and a herring-bone ornamentation. Partial silvery iridescence.

No. 117

J. C. Carpenter
(Twelfth Century)

RAKKA FAIENCE BOWL

Height, 5¾ inches

25⁰⁰

Tapering body, with annular base. Invested with a greenish-white glaze stopping short of the base and decorated in black and blue, with lines and bands of scrolled trefoil leaf design. Iridescent patina.

No. 118

Mr. James
(Twelfth Century)

RAKKA FAIENCE EWER

Height, 8¼ inches

45⁰⁰

Pear-shaped body, spreading neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a fine turquoise-blue glaze and decorated, as to the shoulder, with a band in relief colored black. Fine silvery iridescence.

No. 119

H. Oshima

RAKKA FAIENCE DEEP PLATE

(Twelfth Century)

Diameter, 10½ inches

35⁰⁰

Circular shape with flat rim. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a medallion in black, surrounded by a band of patterning in dark blue, and as to the rim, with a border based on Cufic inscriptions.

No. 119A

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RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER

(Twelfth Century)

Height, $5\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Mr. James

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base and decorated in black, as to the body and neck, with horizontal bandings and scrollings. Silvery iridescence.

No. 120

2500
RAKKA FAIENCE BOWL

S. Levy
(Twelfth Century)

Height, 4 inches; diameter, $7\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Coupe-shaped. Invested with a heavy crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated in black, as to the interior, with radiating lines springing from a quatrefoiled medallion. Around the rim is a band of blue.

No. 121

2200
RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER

E. B. Wrighton
(Twelfth Century)

Height, $5\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and looped handle. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 122

3750
SULTANABAD FAIENCE BOWL

H. Osuna
(Thirteenth Century)

Height, $3\frac{1}{4}$ inches; diameter, $8\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Straight-sided coupe shape, with incurved rim. Invested with a greenish-blue glaze and decorated, as to the interior, in black so as to show the pattern in blue reserve, with a pattern of scrolled interlacements with an octagonal medallion in the center.

No. 123

N. E. Wallace

SULTANABAD FAIENCE BOTTLE (Twelfth Century)

5570

Height, $12\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, with fluted under portion, and long cylindrical neck. Invested with a dark blue glaze and decorated, in gold and red and white enamels, with a pattern of circular medallions between bands of trefoil pattern in gold. The ground is patterned with scrollings in white on gold. Decoration scaled off in places revealing the blue glaze beneath. (Neck slightly restored.)

No. 124

C. + E. Leavess

RAKKA LUSTRED FAIENCE VASE (Ninth Century)

4250

Height, 5 inches

Straight tapering sides, with spreading rim and annular foot. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze stopping short of the base and decorated in brown luster, as to the body, with a band of Arabic inscription on a ground of spirals, and as to the neck, with a broad band from which spring flower forms.

No. 125

Mrs. Wm. L. Wood

RAKKA FAIENCE BOWL (Twelfth Century)

3570

Height, $3\frac{7}{8}$ inches; diameter, 9 inches

Coupe-shaped, with annular foot. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base and decorated in black, as to the center, with a circular medallion, and as to the inner rim, with a band of interlacements. The exterior decorated with a scrolled pattern. Silvery iridescence.

No. 126

S. Levy
(Twelfth Century)

28 10"
RAKKA FAIENCE EWER

Height, $5\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a pale green glaze and decorated, in black, blue and reddish brown, with a design of paneled scrollings. Slight silvery iridescence.

No. 127

N. H. H. H. H.
(Sixteenth Century)

8 12"
PERSIAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Bottle-shaped, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated with vertical panels of floral sprays in copper lustre.

No. 128

P. A. Khouri
(Sixteenth Century)

25 10"
PERSIAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, $6\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, with long cylindrical neck and bulbous rim. Invested with a white glaze and decorated with spiral bands of leaf forms and floral sprays in copper lustre.

No. 129

M. Tadjandjan
(Sixteenth Century)

8 10"
PERSIAN LUSTRED FAIENCE BOWL

Height, $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches; diameter, $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Coupe-shaped. Interior decorated, on a white ground, with a design of floral groups and pointed serrated leaves in gold lustre. Exterior glazed a rich blue, with four bands of scrollings in copper lustre.

No. 130

E. A. Khouri

PERSIAN LUSTRED FAIENCE BOWL

(Seventeenth Century)

65-00

Height, 4½ inches

Bottle-shaped, with metal neck and rim of later date. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated with a design of leaf forms in rich copper lustre.

No. 131

B. + E. Carassa

GRÆCO-ROMAN FAIENCE VASE

(First Century B.C.)

95-00

Height, 11½ inches

Pear-shaped body, the lower part vertically ribbed, cylindrical neck and two straight looped handles. Invested with a blue glaze and decorated in relief with bands of disk-shapes and semi-rosettes. Below the handles are raised palm branch ornamentations.

(Illustrated)

No. 132

A. Khayal

RAKKA FAIENCE INKSTAND

(Ninth Century)

70-00

Height, 8 inches

Rectangular shape, on four cylindrical feet. Invested with a rich greenish glaze. The top is pierced with two circular openings surrounded by a panel of Saracenic interlacements in relief; the sides are patterned with Arabic inscriptions in relief and scrollings, while the ends are decorated with pointed-arch panels of ornamentation in relief. Largely covered with silvery and golden iridescence.

(Illustrated)

Note: This inkstand is said to have been exhumed from among the ruins of the palace of Haroun-al-Raschid, whose favorite place of abode was the City of Rakka.

No. 133

B. + E. Carassa

GRÆCO-ROMAN FAIENCE VASE

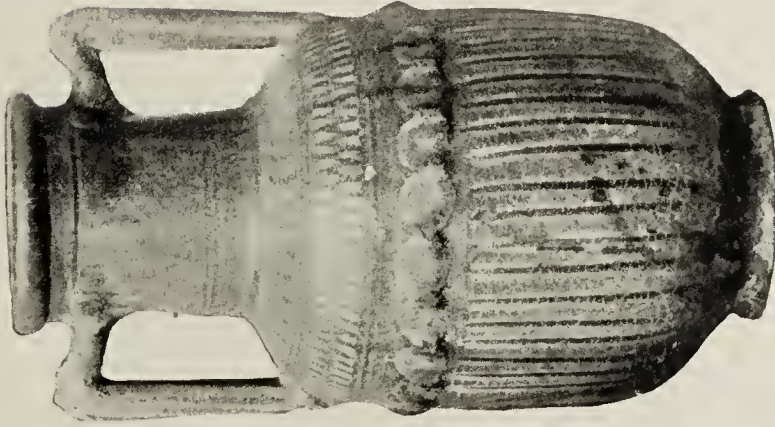
(First Century B.C.)

207-00

Height, 12 inches

Pear-shaped vertically ribbed body, cylindrical neck and two flat looped handles. Invested with crackled greenish-blue glaze.

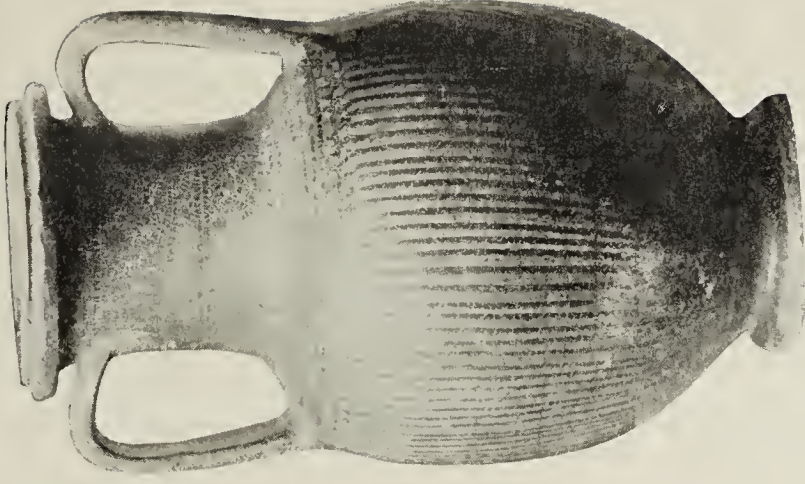
(Illustrated)



No. 131



No. 132



No. 133

Nos. 131-133. GRECO-ROMAN VASES OF THE FIRST CENTURY B.C.
No. 132. RAKKA FAIENCE INKSTAND OF THE NINTH CENTURY

No. 134

E. Caruso

HISPANO-MAURESQUE DISH

(Seventeenth Century)

95-00

Diameter, 15 inches

Circular shape, with raised bars. Center occupied with a patterning of floral sprays and quatrefoils in copper lustre. Border patterned with floral sprays and branches of heart-shaped leaves in blue and copper lustre.

No. 135

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*HISPANO-MAURESQUE LUSTRED
RELLO*

*FAIENCE ALBA-
(Sixteenth Century)*

200 00

Height, 11 $\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Cylindrical shape, with incurved sides and short cylindrical neck. Invested with an ivory-colored glaze and decorated in lustred brown, blue and black with vertical lines, two bands of pseudo-Cufic inscriptions and a narrower band of Saracenic patterning in white reserve on a brown ground.

No. 136

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HISPANO-MAURESQUE DISH

(Seventeenth Century)

95 00

Diameter, 16 inches

Circular shape, with raised gadrooned boss. Interior occupied with alternating panels of dotted pattern and pseudo-Cufic inscriptions in copper lustre. Border decorated with raised serrated leaf forms and scrollings in blue and copper lustre. (Repaired.)

No. 137

E. A. Khouri

SULTANABAD FAIENCE VASE WITH HANDLES

(Thirteenth Century)

50 00

Height, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, with two straight looped handles and cylindrical neck. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, decorated in black and almost entirely coated with a silvery iridescent patina.

No. 138

E. A. Khouri
(Twelfth Century)

RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

90 — *Height, 10 inches*

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and annular rim. Invested with a pale green glaze, decorated with vertical lines of dark blue. Almost entirely covered with a silvery iridescent patina.

No. 139

RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

(Thirteenth Century)

85 — *Height, 15 inches*

Pear-shaped form, with four flat loop handles and annular rim. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, nearly covered with a silvery iridescence due to age.

**PERSIAN MINIATURES OF THE SIXTEENTH AND
SEVENTEENTH CENTURIES**

Painted in Gold and Colors

**OF THE MONGOLIAN INDO-PERSIAN AND
OTHER SCHOOLS**

No. 140

C. Prentice
(Seventeenth Century)

INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

20 — *Height, 5½ inches; width, 4 inches*

Painted in gold and colors. In the foreground a princess kneels praying before the tomb of a Sage hung with votive offerings. In the background is a landscape painted in dark green with the sun setting behind a mountain.

No. 141

G. & E. Carless
(Sixteenth Century)

INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

20 10

Height, 6 inches; width, 3½ inches

Painted in gold and colors. By a miniaturist of the school of Jahangir. Full-length figure of a princess against a blue background, surrounded by a double border, one with conventional flowers and birds on a yellow ground, one with animals in gold on a red ground.

No. 142

T. Prentice

INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Seventeenth Century)

20 10

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Muhammad Nadir of Samarkand. In a Persian garden a prince and princess are meeting and clasping hands. On either side are rows of women attendants. In the foreground are peacocks, other birds and animals. In the background a lake and trees, and in the distance a city with houses and minarets.

No. 143

G. & E. Carless

INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE (Early Seventeenth Century)

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Height, 8½ inches; width, 5½ inches

Painted in gold and colors. By a miniaturist of the schools of Akbar and Jahangir. In the interior of a palace a shah sits on his chairlike throne of jeweled gold watching two of his courtiers playing a game of chess. In front of him stand his son and a dervish. Panels of text above and below.

No. 144

R. H. Lorenz Agent
(Sixteenth Century)

INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

70 10

Height, 6¼ inches; width, 5 inches

Painted in gold and colors. By a miniaturist of the school of Akbar. Full-length portrait of Shayista Khan dressed in a green robe with a gold girdle and scimitar and a green halo against a blue background.

No. 145

G. + E. Carussa
(Seventeenth Century)

3570
INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 10 inches; width, 5½ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Muhammad Nadir of Samarkand. In a rocky landscape surmounted by a blue sky a horseman with bent bow aims an arrow at a man concealed in a tree trunk.

No. 146

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2810
INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Seventeenth Century)

Height, 9½ inches; width, 6¾ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Muhammad Nadir of Samarkand. Equestrian portrait of Shayista Khan riding a white horse in an open flower-besprinkled meadow beneath a cloudy sky.

No. 147

S. Levy
(Sixteenth Century)

1510
PERSIAN ILLUMINATION

Height, 4¼ inches; width, 2 inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. by Mir-Ali. Two panels of text divided vertically by a band of blue with Persian inscriptions on either side.

No. 148

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1510
PERSIAN ILLUMINATION

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 10 inches; width, 6¼ inches

Painted in gold and colors. Page of calligraphy by Ali-el-Kateb written in gold and colors around a series of Persian inscriptions in black. Surrounded by a border of birds and flowers in colors on a gold ground.

First Afternoon

No. 149

6 r 9. Carrese

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

25⁰⁰

Height, 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches; width, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of one of Nizami's works. In a room of a palace a prince lies dying surrounded by his weeping wives. From a balcony above members of the Harem look on.

No. 150

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PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

30⁰⁰

Height, 10 inches; width, 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Nizami. Into the open doorway of a crenellated fortress, the Shah, dismounted, pursues with drawn sword a horseman. To his right is a body of his followers on horseback and armed with spears and bows. In the foreground is the abandoned horse of the Shah, while on the battlements of the fort are armed men.

No. 151

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PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

45⁰⁰

Height, 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches; width, 8 inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of one of Nizami's works. At the entrance of a palace the queen with outstretched arms welcomes the young prince who rides up on horseback. Behind the queen is one of her attendants, and on her left a woman accompanying on a tambourine two singers. Above is a panel of calligraphy.

No. 152

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PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

50⁰⁰

Height, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches; width, 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Bustan of Saadi. On a dais in a kiosk a royal family group are seated around the queen listening to two musicians and singers. In the background are trees and flowers.

No. 153

E. Carusa
(Sixteenth Century)

PERSIAN MINIATURE

58" *Height, 10¾ inches; width, 7½ inches*

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of Nizami's *Khamsah*, dated 924 A.H. (1518 A.D.). In a cave Shah Freidoum is killing a devil. On the left a man is bound to a tree, in the foreground are three of Freidoum's attendants, and in the background wait three devils armed with clubs.

No. 154

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

45" *Height, 9½ inches; width, 5¼ inches*

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of one of Nizami's works. On a divan in the interior of the palace the shah and one of his wives sit and listen to musicians, while women attendants hand refreshments. In the background, through a curtained opening, is seen a flower garden. Above and below are panels of calligraphy.

No. 155

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

25" *Height, 6¾ inches; width, 6¾ inches*

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. *Bustan of Saadi*. In the interior of a morgue four men are prostrating themselves and praying, while in the foreground a princess kneels on a prayer rug with ducks on either side of her.

No. 156

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

40" *Height, 11 inches; width, 7¾ inches*

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of Nizami's *Haft Paikur*. Shah Iamaz, having wounded Freidoum, regrets his action and, throwing himself on his knees, asks the latter's forgiveness. Around stand the shah's attendants.

No. 157

E. Comusa

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

28

Height, 6½ inches; width, 4½ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Bustan of Saadi. On one side of a palace courtyard one of the shah's wives is seen in a dark cell loaded with chains, and being comforted by three attendants who hold lighted candles and bring her food. Above, on the left, the shah and his courtiers look on from a window. Landscape background, with trees.

No. 158

Elia Daniel

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

48

Height, 9 inches; width, 5½ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Bustan of Saadi. Two women riding in a rocky landscape greet each other as they meet. In the middle distance a man on his knees supplicates a princess on horseback. Beyond are rocks with tents and trees.

No. 159

S. Levy

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

159

Height, 7¾ inches; width, 4¼ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Shah Mahmoud, dated 1522 A.D. In a royal tent near a brook in front of which is laid a meal, Bahram Gur sits conversing with Khousran, while Zuleika and a female companion stand under a tree outside listening to the conversation. Surrounded by a border of flowers and foliage in gold on an ivory ground.



No. 160

Edw. V. Nevill

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 6½ inches; width, 3½ inches

7500
Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of Nizami's Haft Paikur. In a tent in an open landscape Freidoum sits and greets Bahram and Zuleika, who are paying her a visit. Above the rocky crags in the background are seen the heads of three youths. Surrounded by a border of figures, animals and birds on a dotted ground and panels of calligraphy.



65-00

G. & E. Cameron

No. 161

PERSIAN ILLUMINATION

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 9¾ inches; width, 13½ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of one of Nazami's works. Three pages of calligraphy, one by Mir Hassan, the others by Diwan Hoja Hafez. Written in spaces of reserve on a gold ground and with panels above of decoration painted in gold and colors.



No. 162

E. Caruso

(Sixteenth Century)

PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 6¼ inches; width, 3¾ inches

1870
Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Bustan or Saadi. By a miniaturist of the school of Behzad. In the courtyard of a palace is a gathering of court officials discussing important events. In the background from a palace balcony members of the Harem are watching what is going on. On the left, through an open gate, is seen a Persian garden. Surrounded by an elaborate border, painted in gold and rich colors, of quatrefoil medallions enclosing Persian inscriptions and connected by Saracenic interlacements.

No. 163

J. Maxwell

PERSIAN MANUSCRIPT

(Fifteenth Century)

85-00

Height, 11¼ inches; width, 6¾ inches

One of the works of Nizami. An exquisite specimen of calligraphy written on vellum. On alternate pages the text is plain and written in spaces of reserve on gold grounds, and in both cases surrounded by borders of gold. The chapter headings are elaborately illuminated in gold and colors, with panels of medallions and Saracenic interlacements. In the original binding of boards, lacquered in a design of figures and flowers, the doublures of panels of raised Saracenic diapers and rosetted patternings in gold and colors.

E. A. Khour

ANTIQUÉ PERSIAN AND TURKISH RUGS

Chiefly of the Seventeenth Century

No. 164

E. A. I

TURKISH MAT

(Eighteenth Century)

Length, 4 feet; width, 2 feet 10 inches

35-10

Kurd weave. Center with field of turquoise-blue geometrically patterned in red and blue, surrounded by borders of red patterned in blue and white and of brown. Border patterned with diamond shapes on a yellow ground and rosetted outer guard.

No. 165

J. Achelis

PERSIAN RUG

(Eighteenth Century)

Length, 4 feet 4 inches; width, 2 feet 5 inches

30 00

Bokhara weave. The field, of dark red, is decorated with a patterning of oval medallions in bright red, dark blue and white, surrounded by a triple inner guard of a band of geometrical patterning in red, blue and white between narrow stripes of hook pattern in blue on a bright red ground. The border, wider on one side, is patterned with a pattern of tridents and conventional leaf forms in yellow, white, blue and bright red on a dark red ground.

No. 166

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

E. A. Khouri
(Seventeenth Century)

75" —

Length, 5 feet 11 inches; width, 4 feet

Kulah weave. The mihrab, arched at either end and with a pale buff-colored ground, is decorated by two vertical floral stalks in blue and green. The sky above and below, of light ground decorated with conventional leaf forms, in white and yellow. Double inner and outer guard of meander and scroll patternings on dark and white grounds respectively. Double border of two rows of flower forms in red, brown, green and yellow separated by a narrow stripe of meander patterning on a dark ground.

No. 167

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Seventeenth Century)

68" —

Length, 6 feet 9 inches; width, 3 feet 4 inches

H. Carpenter

Ladik weave. Mihrab with red ground, pointed stepped arch and star-shaped and hook-patterned figures in white and black. Sky with conventional vase and leaf forms in red and black on light ground. Below, a panel with red ground and three lily forms. Double inner guard, with broad band of conventional flower forms in red, blue and yellow on a light ground. Border with medallions and leaf forms in red, white and blue on a yellow ground and triple outer guard.

No. 168

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Eighteenth Century)

80" —

Length, 6 feet; width, 4 feet

H. Carpenter

Kir-sheer weave. The mihrab, with a green ground, has a stepped arch with hook-pattern enrichments in red, yellow and white. Blue sky, with floral rosette in red. Panels above and below, with red and white ground. Inner guard of seven alternate stripes of red, white, brown and yellow. Border of varicolored floral rosettes on a yellow ground, and double outer guard of broad band of blue ground with floral sprays in red and black and a narrow band of red.

No. 169

E. A. Khouri

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(*Seventeenth Century*)

70 *10*

Length, 5 feet 11 inches; width, 4 feet

Ladik weave. The triple-arched mihrab, with a red ground, is decorated with a central medallion of conventionalized mosque-lamp form in blue and white. The sky has a blue ground, with red, brown and white flower and leaf forms, while below is a panel with red ground of three pendent lily forms in blue and black. Triple inner guard of angular meander and rosetted patternings, border of brown, blue and white flower forms on a red ground, and triple outer guard of a red meander on a brown ground between red and blue stripes.

No. 170

Mrs. R. W. Lorenz

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(*Seventeenth Century*)

150 *10*

Length, 6 feet 3 inches; width, 3 feet 10 inches

Kulah weave. Pointed-arched mihrab with a blue field decorated with a vertical band of light-colored stars and scrollings with profile flowers at the sides. Sky of blue extending down the sides, with a diapered pattern of imbrications in yellow. Panels above and below, with red and black grounds. Triple inner guard of stripes, with light grounds patterned with scrolling in black and blue. Border of a double row of flower forms in blue, yellow and black on a white ground and triple outer guard of a band of leaf forms in yellow on a white ground between stripes of black with yellow fleurettes.

No. 171

Seto Bernier

PERSIAN RUG

(*Seventeenth Century*)

165 *10*

Length, 6 feet; width, 4 feet

Sehna weave. Field of dark blue, covered with a diapered pattern of floral interlacements in red, light blue and white. Central diamond-shaped medallion, with a red ground covered by a similar pattern to that of the field in pale blues, purples and white. Inner and outer guards with dark blue grounds rosetted in red, light blue and white.

No. 172

SARACENIC RUG

(Seventeenth Century)

Length, 6 feet 7 inches; width, 5 feet 7 inches

90" Rhodian weave. Field is occupied with a diamond-shaped medallion with stalk forms above and below formed by variations of the hook pattern in dark blue with passages of white and light blue on a red ground. Inner guard of a guilloche patterning in red and white on a dark ground. Border of meander and rosette pattern in dark and light blue and white on a red ground. Triple outer guard patterned in dark blue on a red ground.

No. 173

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Seventeenth Century)

Length, 6 feet; width, 4 feet

70" Kulah weave. Mihrab with greenish blue field patterned with a vertical floral stalk and floral sprays at the sides in red, light blue and black. Red sky patterned in light blue. Triple inner guard of blue, yellow and brown patterned with rosettes and floral sprays. Border of alternating stripes of brown and white. Double outer guard of a blue ground patterned in yellow and black and a dark ground with zigzag patterning.

No. 174

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Seventeenth Century)

Length, 7 feet 9 inches; width, 4 feet 8 inches

140" Ladik weave. Mihrab with blue field, stepped arch of hook-pattern design and conventional branched stem of flowers in red and white. Sky of dark red patterned with flower forms in blue and white. Panel below of five lily forms in blue on a red ground. Triple inner guard of band of meander patterning in white on a green ground between narrow stripes of blue and white. Border of leaf forms and medallions in blue, white and brown on a red ground. Triple outer guard of a band of meander pattern in blue on a white ground between stripes of red and blue.

No. 175

D. A. Shouri

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(*Eighteenth Century*)

3800

Length, 6 feet 2 inches; width, 4 feet 2 inches

Ghiordes weave. Mihrab with cream-colored field, pointed arch supported by two pilaster forms in colors, and with mosque-lamp medallion of floral form. Fawn-colored sky, patterned with scrolled branches in red and blue. Triple inner guard, patterned in red, blue and yellow. Border of palmettes, medallions, flowers and buds in various colors on a blue ground. Double outer guard patterned in red, blue, white and yellow.

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PERSIAN FAIENCES

Of the Sixteenth and Seventeenth Centuries

KOUBATCHA, BOKHARA, KASHAN, KIRMAN
AND OTHER WARES

No. 176

B. + E. Carassa
(Seventeenth Century)

1250-
PERSIAN FAIENCE VASE

Height, 5½ inches

Cylindrical fluted body, with cylindrical rim and annular base.
Invested with a heavy turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 177

PERSIAN FAIENCE PERFUME BOTTLE

(Seventeenth Century)

1010
Height, 5¾ inches

C. Prentice

Spade-shaped body, with cylindrical metal rim of later date and
flat and molded sides. The former decorated with panels of
raised Saracenic interlacements. Invested with a green glaze.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 178

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Seventeenth Century)

Height, 7¾ inches

1000
Pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck. Invested with a cream-colored glaze and decorated with silhouetted figures of birds and goats on a ground sown with star shapes.

No. 179

BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

(Seventeenth Century)

Diameter, 13 inches

4500
Circular shape, with curved rim. Invested with a creamy glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a Greek cross outlined in white reserve, the arms patterned with rows of circular floral medallions. In the spaces between are heart-shaped medallions of scrolled and foliage patternings in green and brown. There are two borders of leaf and floral patterning. The back is invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

No. 180

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Seventeenth Century)

Height, 9¾ inches

1700
Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a white glaze and decorated, in blue, with bands of rock forms and flowers, the neck with a reticulated patterning.

No. 181

BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

(Seventeenth Century)

Diameter, 13¾ inches

3000
Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a white glaze and decorated in blue, the center with a Greek cross outlined in white reserve, with arms filled with rows of rayed blossoms and a circular medallion in the center. The rim is decorated with a pattern of scrolled leaves in white reserve on a blue ground.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 182

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

27⁵⁰

Height, 8¾ inches

C. Kharas

Club-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base.

No. 183

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Seventeenth Century)

15⁰⁰

Height, 9¾ inches

C. Prentice

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a heavy ivory-colored glaze and decorated, in blue, with trefoil leaf forms betraying a Chinese influence.

No. 184

BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

(Seventeenth Century)

47⁵⁰

Diameter, 12½ inches

G. + E. Carusa

Circular shape, with curved rim. Invested with a white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with four pointed leaves in white reserve on a blue scrolled ground radiating from a star medallion. In the spaces between are detached blossoms and spirals in green and brown, and the rim is decorated with a checkered pattern.

No. 185

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

52⁰⁰

Height, 11¾ inches

G. + E. "

Pear-shaped body, with spreading neck and one large and three small looped handles. Invested with a heavy white glaze stopping short of the base and decorated, in black, blue and green, with a pattern of large flowers, buds and leaves.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 186

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

40 *✓*
Height, 7 inches

A. Khayr

Pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck and three looped handles. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base.

No. 187

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(*Seventeenth Century*)

150 *✓*
Height, 10 inches

Mr. Staab

Pear-shaped, with short cylindrical neck and flat rim. Invested with a heavy white glaze and decorated, in blue, with a pattern of detached flower and leaf forms and pagodas, betraying a Chinese influence.

No. 188

BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

(*Seventeenth Century*)

70 *✓*
Diameter, 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Mr. Staab

Circular shape with curved rim. Invested with a crackled white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a design of four pointed leaves of black, blue and green, with a center checkered medallion. In the spaces between are leaves of white reserve on a ground of blue spirals. The rim has a checkered pattern in white reserve and blue.

No. 189

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

85 *✓*
Height, 12 inches

Mr. Staab

Club-shaped body, spreading cylindrical neck with incised lines, and two looped handles. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 190

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Seventeenth Century)

28 20

Height, 10 inches

J. J. Noorian

Pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck. Invested with a crackled white glaze and decorated with bands of rock forms and flowers in blue outlined in brown.

No. 191

BOKHARA FAIENCE PLATE

(Seventeenth Century)

7 5/8

Diameter, 15 1/2 inches

G. E. Canessa

Circular-shaped, with flat rim. Invested with a white glaze. The center is entirely occupied by a checkered pattern of alternate solid and hatched squares in blue and manganese, bordered by a band of diagonal, straight and waved lines. The rim has an indented and scrolled patterning in white reserve and blue.

No. 192

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

9 1/2

Height, 16 7/8 inches

Metropolitan Museum of Art

Pear-shaped body, with bulbous cylindrical neck and four looped handles. Invested with a white glaze stopping short of the base, and decorated, as to the body, with quatrefoiled medallions of a three blossomed flower and leaves separated by floral sprays, and as to the shoulder and neck, with similar sprays symmetrically disposed.

No. 193

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

(Sixteenth Century)

4 5/8

Diameter, 13 1/4 inches

J. J. Noorian

Circular shape. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze and decorated in black. Interior occupied by a design of sprays of bryony blossoms and the rim with a pattern of leaf forms.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 194

KIRMAN FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

60⁰⁰

Height, 13 inches

W. Thayer

Pear-shaped body, with spreading neck. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base.

No. 195

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

(Sixteenth Century)

65⁰⁰

Diameter, 14 inches

Prentice

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with an ivory-colored glaze and decorated, in light and dark blue, as to the interior with two birds in a landscape with flowers and foliage, and as to the rim, with a lozenge-shaped diaper in brown with trefoil figures in the center of each compartment.

No. 196

PERSIAN FAIENCE NARGILEH

(Sixteenth Century)

70⁰⁰

Height, 11 inches

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and side nozzle. Invested with a blue glaze and decorated with branching groups of carnation and bryony blossoms in lighter blue enamel.

No. 197

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE

(Sixteenth Century)

105⁰⁰

Diameter, $13\frac{7}{8}$ inches

G. + E. Carassa

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze and decorated in black, as to the interior, with sprays of scrolled bryony springing from a star-shaped medallion in the center, and as to the rim, with a meander pattern of bryony and leaves.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 198

PERSIAN FAIENCE BOTTLE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

87 00
Height, 11 inches

E. T. Prentice

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical bulbous neck. Invested with an ivory-colored glaze, the body decorated with two vases of flowers in reserve on a brown ground, the neck with a scrolled design betraying Chinese influence.

No. 199

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE DEEP PLATE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

65 00
Diameter, 12¼ inches

E. T. Gillespie

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a crackled ivory-colored glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a large flower and leaves, in blue, surrounded by a band of honeycomb diaper pattern in gray dotted with red enamel. The rim is decorated with a border of volutes in blue, the back with pointed-leaf scrollings.

No. 200

KIRMAN FAIENCE FLOWER VASE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

65 00
Height, 7¼ inches

Miss Carpenter

Straight-sided flaring shape, on a spreading base. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base.

No. 201

PERSIAN FAIENCE BOWL

(*Sixteenth Century*)

165 00
Height, 2½ inches; diameter, 7¼ inches

E. T. Gillespie

Coupe-shaped, with raised interior boss. Invested with a greenish-white glaze, and decorated, as to the interior, with a medallion figure in blue and black; around the rim with a band of à jour ornamentation, the incisions filled with glaze.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 202

DAMASCUS FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 4 inches

1750

Ferdinand Bonaldi

Pear-shaped, with short cylindrical neck mounted with metal screw top. Invested with an ivory-colored glaze and decorated in blue, the body with a band of scrolled trefoils, the shoulder with bands of looped and scrolled floral patterns. The decoration of body and shoulder separated by a band of chain pattern.

No. 203

KASHAN FAIENCE VASE

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 15¼ inches

1300

A. Khayal

Inverted pear-shaped body, with spreading foot and incurved neck. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze and decorated around the shoulder with two incised lines.

No. 204

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE DEEP DISH

H. Baker

(Seventeenth Century)

Diameter, 13 inches

1000

Circular shape, with scrolled edge. Invested with a crackled white glaze and decorated in black, as to the center, with a design of five flying storks disposed in the form of a cross and with floral sprays in white reserve on a blue ground, and as to the rim, with zigzag pattern and floral sprays.

No. 205

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE DEEP PLATE

G. + E. Canessa

(Twelfth Century)

Height, 13 inches

1300

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a finely crackled greenish-blue glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a scrolled design of pointed leaves and bryony blossoms; as to the rim, with scrollings of leaves and bryony blossoms.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 206

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE (Sixteenth Century)

Diameter, 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

5700
Circular shape, with scalloped edge. Invested with a white glaze and decorated in blue, as to the center, with a design of three flying birds and flowers surrounded by six similar birds, and as to the rim, with a serrated design.

No. 207

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE VASE (Sixteenth Century)

Height, 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

5300
Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and flat rim. Invested with a bluish-white glaze stopping short of the base, and decorated, as to the body, with a diapered pattern of brown lines enclosing blue medallions, and as to the neck, with eight arched panels in brown enclosing leaf sprays. Around the shoulder is a band of twisted rope design.

**ANCIENT GLASS, OF GRÆCO-ROMAN, ALEXAN-
DRIAN, SIDONIAN, ARABIAN, AND
OTHER MAKES**

Including Some Notable Examples of Mosaic Glass

No. 208

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS GOBLET (First Century B.C.)

Height, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

2000
Thin white glass. Tapering-shaped, with outcurved rim. Rich silvery iridescence.

No. 209

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE (First Century B.C.)

Height, 3 inches

1700
Greenish-white glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Rich iridescence.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 210

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS BOTTLE (First Century B.C.)

Height, $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches

1260

White glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and flat rim. Rich iridescence.

C. Prentiss

No. 211

GRÆCO-PHŒNICIAN GLASS BOTTLE

(Fourth Century B.C.)

Height, 3 inches

500

Amber-colored glass. Pear-shaped body with cylindrical neck. Partially coated with a silvery patina and a rich iridescence.

No. 212

SIDONIAN GLASS PERFUME HOLDER

(First Century A.D.)

2750

Blue glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and two looped handles. Decorated with horizontal ribbings in relief. Partial iridescence.

John Khayyar

No. 213

GRÆCO-ROMAN GLASS BOWL (Fourth Century B.C.)

Height, 2 inches; diameter, $3\frac{3}{4}$ inches.

4500

White glass. Coupe-shaped, the under side of exterior decorated with vertical ribbings in high relief. Rich iridescence.

N. Wallace

No. 214

SIDONIAN GLASS VASE (First Century A.D.)

Height, $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches

2000

Purple glass. Cylindrical body, with long cylindrical neck and annular rim. Silvery iridescence.

John Khayyar

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 215

70 c
GRÆCO-EGYPTIAN GLASS VASE (Fourth Century B.C.) *R. A. Lorenz Agent*

Height, 3 inches

Blue glass. Amphora-shaped, with cylindrical neck and two looped handles. Body decorated in dragged zigzags in yellow, light green and black.

No. 216

85 c
EGYPTIAN GLASS PHIAL (Eighteenth Dynasty)

Height, 4¼ inches

Dark blue glass. Cylindrical shape, with flat rim and two applied handles. Decorated with dragged zigzags and horizontal bands in yellow and light blue.

No. 217

85 c
EGYPTIAN GLASS PHIAL (Eighteenth Dynasty)

Height, 4¼ inches

Blown glass. Cylindrical form, with flat rim and two handles. Decorated with dragged zigzags of white and yellow.

No. 218

140 c
EGYPTIAN GLASS PHIAL (Eighteenth Dynasty)

Height, 5 inches

Heavy blue glass. Cylindrical form, with flat rim and two handles. Decorated with a dragged feather patterning in orange. *L. & E. Carver*

No. 219

20 c
SIDONIAN GLASS BOTTLE (First Century B.C.)

Height, 3¾ inches

Purple glass. Square body, with cylindrical neck and spreading rim. The body decorated with panels occupied by scroll designs in relief. Rich silvery iridescence. *John Kharja*

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No. 220

BYZANTINE GLASS BOTTLE (Fourth Century A.D.)

Height, 4½ inches

Blown and molded white glass. Hexagonal body, with cylindrical neck and flat rim. Two sides decorated with medallions and Greek cross, the other four with tree forms and a dotted design, all in relief. Rich silvery iridescence.

No. 221

ALEXANDRIAN GLASS PERFUME FLASK

(First Century A.D.)

Height, 3 inches

Yellow onyx glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and spreading rim. Decorated with veinings. Rich iridescence.

No. 222

SIDONIAN GLASS BOTTLE (First Century A.D.)

Height, 13 inches

Heavy dark blue glass. Pear-shaped body, with long cylindrical neck and bulbous rim encircled with spiral glass filament. Rich varicolored iridescence and veinings.

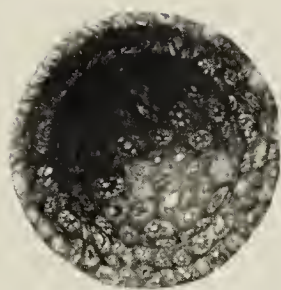
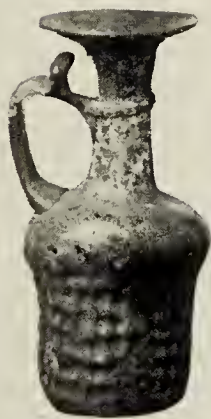
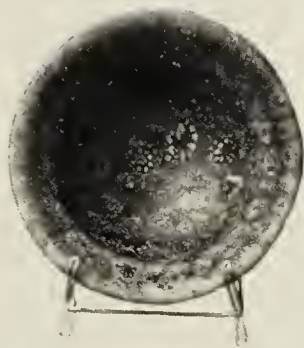
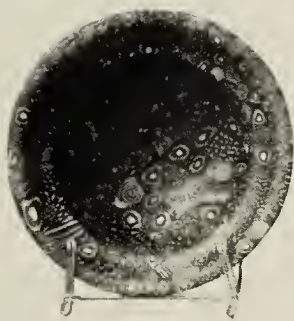
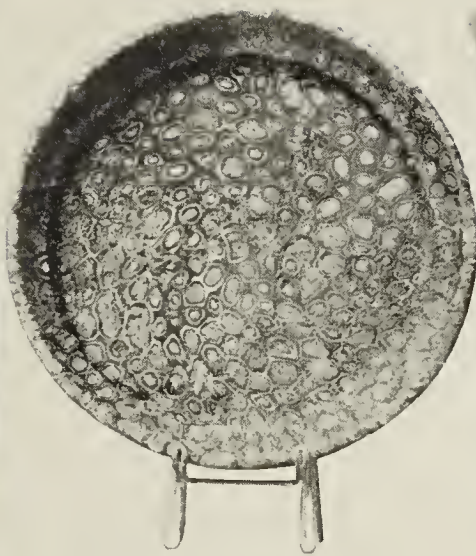
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ALEXANDRIAN GLASS PERFUME BOTTLE

(First Century B.C.)

Height, 2½ inches

Purple onyx glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and annular rim. Decorated with veinings. Original condition.



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No. 224

GREEK GLASS EWER

(First Century B.C.)

Height, 5 inches

5500

Dark blue glass. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck, spreading rim and flat looped handle. Body decorated with a pattern of reticulations in relief. Rich iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 225

SIDONIAN GLASS PASTE EWER

(First Century A.D.)

Height, 4½ inches

14500

Dark blue glass paste. Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and two flat looped handles. In original condition.

(Illustrated)

No. 226

SIDONIAN GLASS GOBLET

(First Century A.D.)

Height, 2¾ inches

2500

Purple glass. Coupe-shaped and decorated with veinings in relief. Rich iridescence.

No. 227

ALEXANDRIAN GLASS PLATE

(First Century B.C.)

Diameter, 6¼ inches

7000

Mosaic or Murrhine glass. Circular shape, with curved rim. Purple glass ground, splashed with patches of lighter purple and mottled with spots of green and yellow encircled by black and white in a "madrepore" pattern. (Repaired.)

(Illustrated)

Note: This, and the other examples here catalogued, are unusually well preserved specimens of the famous "Murrhine" glass, regarded as almost priceless by the ancients, and are typically representative of the pre-eminence of the Alexandrian glassworkers of the first century B.C.

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No. 228

GRÆCO-ROMAN BOWL

(*Fourth Century B.C.*)

175⁰⁰ Height, $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches; diameter, $8\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Robt. Glendinning

Thick greenish-white glass. Conical-shaped, with rounded bottom. The interior decorated with a spirally disposed filament of glass. Entirely covered with an exceptionally rich varicolored iridescence. (Repaired.)

Note: This unusually decorative example of iridescent glass was recently exhumed on the plains of El-Jazireh.

No. 229

ALEXANDRIAN GLASS BOWL

(*First Century B.C.*)

425⁰⁰ Height, $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches; diameter, $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches

C. Paul

Mosaic or Murrhine glass. Coupe-shaped, on annular foot. Ground of purple glass with splashes of lighter purple and oval spots of yellow and white encircled by lines of red and turquoise-blue.

(*Illustrated*)

No. 230

SIDONIAN GLASS FLASK

(*First Century A.D.*)

250⁰⁰ Height, $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Robt. Lorenz Agens

Thick dark blue glass. Flat heart-shaped body of pilgrim-bottle character, short incurved neck and two straight looped handles. Rich iridescence.

(*Illustrated*)

No. 231

ALEXANDRIAN GLASS BOWL

(*First Century B.C.*)

525⁰⁰ Height, $1\frac{3}{4}$ inches; diameter, $3\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Wm. Berner Agens

Mosaic or Murrhine glass. Coupe-shaped, with annular foot. Rich amethystine blue glass with mottlings of oval spots in yellow, brown and red encircled by lines of black and dark blue in a madrepora patterning.

(*Illustrated*)

No. 232

SIDONIAN GLASS VASE

(First Century B.C.)

200 00
Height, 7 inches

W. Paul

Blown and molded honey-colored glass. Hexagonal body, with cylindrical neck, spirally encircled by a filament of glass, spreading rim and flat loop handle. The sides of the body decorated in relief alternately with panels of lozenge-shaped medallions, hatchings, and herring-bone patternings. Rich silvery iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 233

ALEXANDRIAN GLASS BOWL

(First Century B.C.)

530 00
Height, 1¾ inches; diameter, 3¾ inches

W. Paul

Mosaic or Murrhine glass. Coupe-shaped, with outcurved rim and annular foot. Purple glass ground, with mottlings of oval spots of green and yellow encircled by lines of white and black in a madrepora patterning.

(Illustrated)

No. 234

ARABIAN GLASS GOBLET

(Thirteenth Century A.D.)

150 00
Height, 7 inches

W. Paul

White glass. Cylindrical shape, with curved sides. The body decorated with a broad band enclosed by lines of red enamel and enclosing floral medallions in red, yellow, green and white enamels, with birds and fish in red enamel. Around the rim is a band of zigzag patterning in red and gold.

(Illustrated)

No. 235

PAIR OF GRÆCO-ROMAN GOLD EARRINGS

(Fourth Century B.C.)

9002
Of pure gold. Shaped as bulls' heads, with irregularly cut emeralds between the horns. Bands of filigree work around the necks and curved tails of serpentine character in delicate relief work.

No. 236

PAIR OF EGYPTIAN GOLD EARRINGS

(Eighth Century A.D.)

7012
Of pure gold. Shield-shaped plates, decorated with applied whorls of filigree work; below are drops in the form of clusters of grapes consisting of eleven spheres with spiral pendants and bands.

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Dating from the Ninth to the Eighteenth Centuries

**LUSTRED RAKKA, AND SULTANABAD, RHODIAN
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No. 237

RAKKA FAIENCE EWER

(Twelfth Century)

6012
Height, 7½ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck, pinched-in spout and looped handle. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, the body decorated, in black, with a lozenge-diapered pattern and horizontal bandings. Silvery iridescence.

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No. 238

SULTANABAD FAIENCE PITCHER (Thirteenth Century)

30 00

Height, 4½ inches

M. S. Wallace

Pear-shaped body, with spreading neck, flat looped handle and cylindrical spout. Glazed in turquoise-blue, overglazed in black, leaving the decoration, which consists of Persian inscriptions in curious characters and vertical lines, in blue reserve.

No. 239

RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER

(Twelfth Century)

45 00

Height, 5¼ inches

G. E. Cameron

Pear-shaped body, with short cylindrical neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a rich greenish-blue glaze, the body decorated, in black, with bands of scrolled leaf patterning between horizontal lines. Partial iridescence.

No. 240

SULTANABAD FAIENCE VASE

(Thirteenth Century)

65 00

Height, 10½ inches

E. A. Thore

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, decorated with heart-shaped medallions and leaf scrollings in underglaze black. Partial silvery iridescence.

No. 241

SULTANABAD FAIENCE BOWL

(Thirteenth Century)

30 00

Height, 4 inches; diameter, 8 inches

M. S. Neiberger

Straight-sided coupe shape. Invested with a crackled greenish-white glaze and decorated, as to the interior, with light radiating panes in dark blue and manganese; as to the exterior, with pseudo-flutings.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 242

RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER

(Thirteenth Century)

30⁰⁰

Height, 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

K. Osuna

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and looped handle. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, the neck decorated, in black, with a band of cursive character inscriptions. Partial iridescence.

No. 243

GRÆCO-ROMAN VASE

(Second Century B.C.)

95⁰⁰

Height, 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

G. E. Carver

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and two straight looped handles. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, the body decorated in relief with vertical ribbings and bands of zigzag and disk-shaped patterning, the handles and shoulder with fourteen roundels in relief.

No. 244

RAKKA FAIENCE "BUDDHA"

(Twelfth Century)

30⁰⁰

Height, 8 $\frac{7}{8}$ inches

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Figure of a woman in robe and high crown standing with outstretched arms. Invested with a crackled greenish-white glaze and decorated with an overglaze patterning of scrolls in overglaze blue.

No. 245

RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

(Twelfth Century)

25⁰⁰

Height, 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

K. Stilleman

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and outcurved rim. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze. Almost entirely coated with silvery iridescence.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 246

65-10-
RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

(Twelfth Century)

Height, 11 inches

K. Stillwagen

Pear-shaped body, encircled by a band in relief, cylindrical neck and two flat looped handles. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze. Silvery iridescence.

No. 247

20-10-
RAKKA FAIENCE PITCHER

(Twelfth Century)

Height, 5½ inches u

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and looped handle. Invested with a cream-colored glaze and decorated, as to the body, with an Arabic inscription in blue overlaid on a band of scrolled ornamentation in black.

No. 248

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SULTANABAD FAIENCE VASE

(Thirteenth Century)

Height, 3¼ inches

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Spool-shaped, with receding rim and foot. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze and decorated, on a black ground, as to the upper part with a band of Persian inscription, and as to the lower part, with vertical lines simulating flutings—all in blue reserve.

No. 249

38-00-
RAKKA FAIENCE EWER

(Twelfth Century)

Height, 5½ inches

A. Khayr

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and flat looped handle. Invested with a pale green glaze and decorated, in black, as to the body with a band of Saracenic interlacements, and as to the neck, with a band of Arabic inscription.

No. 250

SULTANABAD FAIENCE PITCHER (Thirteenth Century)

350e

Height, $6\frac{3}{4}$ inches

John Khoury

Octagonal body, with cylindrical neck, flaring lip and round looped handle. Invested with a cream-colored glaze stopping short of the base, and showing traces of a decoration in dark blue and green. Almost covered with a silvery iridescence.

No. 251

SULTANABAD FAIENCE BOWL (Thirteenth Century)

7010

Height, $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches; diameter, $7\frac{1}{2}$ inches

E. A. Khouri

Coupe-shaped, with straight vertical sides. Invested with a cream-colored glaze. Decorated, as to the exterior, with a band of pointed arched panels containing human figures, and as to the interior, with a pattern of interlacements and intersecting lines—all in copper lustre.

No. 252

RHAGES LUSTRED FAIENCE DEEP PLATE

1600e

Diameter, $13\frac{1}{4}$ inches

(Eleventh Century)

Mr. Kouchakji

Circular shape, with flat rim. Decorated in golden lustre, as to the center, on a ground diapered with scrollings with a central circular medallion occupied by the figure of a seated woman, in a dotted robe, and Saracenic leaf scrollings, surrounded by six smaller circular medallions occupied by half-length figures of women and leaf scrollings, and as to the rim, with a border of pointed-leaf patterning in white reserve on a lustred ground. The back invested with a dark blue glaze. (Repaired.)

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 253

1000 *00* **RAKKA FAIENCE DEEP PLATE** (Twelfth Century)

Diameter, $10\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Mr. Kouchakji
Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze and decorated in black, as to the center, with a medallion of Saracenic pointed leaf interlacements, and as to the rim, with panels of Arabic inscriptions.

(Illustrated)

No. 254

1000 *00* **RAKKA FAIENCE VASE** (Twelfth Century)

Height, $6\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Mr. Kouchakji
Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and two twisted loop handles. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze and decorated, in black, with vertical lines and horizontal bandings. Rich iridescence.

(Illustrated)

No. 255

2000 *00* **RAKKA FAIENCE DEEP PLATE** (Twelfth Century)

W. Paul
Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a boldly crackled turquoise-blue glaze and decorated in black, as to the center, with the figure of a rabbit surrounded by scrollings. Partial silvery iridescence.

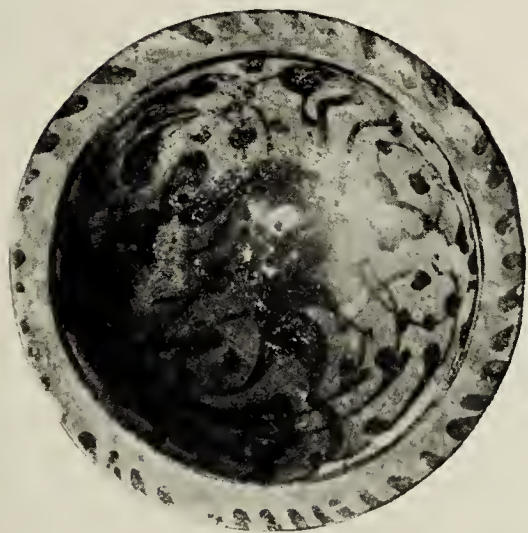
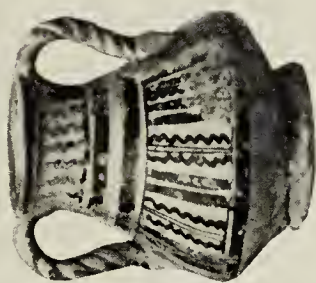
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No. 256

1000 *00* **RAKKA FAIENCE INKSTAND** (Ninth Century)

Height, 8 inches; length of sides, $11\frac{1}{2}$ inches

a. Khaydar
Triangular shape, on three cushion feet. The top pierced with three circular openings surrounded by raised scrollings, the three sides decorated with Arabic inscriptions on grounds of raised scrollings. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze, largely coated with a silvery iridescence. (Repaired.)



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No. 257

RHODIAN FAIENCE PITCHER (Sixteenth Century)

207 02 Height, 8½ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and round looped handle. Invested with a fine cream-colored glaze and decorated with curving stalks of tulips, other flowers and leaves, in blue, green, brown and black, and with a border of spiral scrolls.

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(Illustrated)

No. 258

RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE (Sixteenth Century)

290 01 Diameter, 12 inches

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a medallion enclosing figures of a dog, hare and deer, in white reserve on a green ground, and as to the rim, with alternate panels of scrolls and spirals. The back is decorated with blue fleurettes symmetrically disposed.

(Illustrated)

No. 259

RHODIAN FAIENCE PITCHER (Sixteenth Century)

207 02 Height, 8¼ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and looped handle. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated in blue, green and red enamel, as to the body, with curved stems of tulips and hyacinths, and as to the neck, with a border of spirals and stems of tulips. The handle is dashed with blue.

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(Illustrated)



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RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE

(Sixteenth Century)

300

Diameter, $11\frac{1}{4}$ inches

E. E. Causse

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a cluster of stems of tulips and hyacinths and pointed serrated leaves, in green and red enamel, the border with a leaf pattern in white reserve with dots of red enamel.

(Illustrated)

No. 261

RHODIAN FAIENCE BEAKER

(Sixteenth Century)

300

Height, 9 inches

Cylindrical body, with flat bracket handle. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the body, with leaf-shaped medallions of interlacements in blue and green outlined in black, between two borders of half rosettes in white reserve with red enamel dots on a blue ground.

From the Thomas B. Clarke Collection.

(Illustrated)

No. 262

RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE

(Sixteenth Century)

290

Diameter, $11\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Circular shape, with scalloped flat rim. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, in blue, green and red enamel, as to the interior, with four bouquets of tulips and leaves separated by medallions of Saracenic interlacements, and as to the rim, with a border of spirals in white reserve on blue and in blue on white. The back is decorated with tulips and floral sprays in blue and green.

From the Thomas B. Clarke Collection.

(Illustrated)

No. 263

RHODIAN FAIENCE BEAKER

(*Sixteenth Century*)

Diameter, 8¾ inches

300⁰⁰
Cylindrical body, with bracket handle. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated with large foliated medallions of blue enclosing floral sprays in white reserve touched with green, and with smaller medallions in copper-colored enamel patterned in white reserve. At intervals are green fleurettes and around the rim a border of white reserve in red and blue.

From the Thomas B. Clarke Collection.

(*Illustrated*)

No. 264

RHODIAN FAIENCE PLATE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

Diameter, 12¼ inches

350⁰⁰
Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated in blue, green and red enamel, with a heart-shaped medallion from which springs a cluster of seven-petalled flowers, with floral sprays above and below, and carrying stems of flowers at the side, the border of detached floral sprays. The back is decorated with floral sprays in blue and green.

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(*Illustrated*)

No. 265

RHODIAN FAIENCE BEAKER

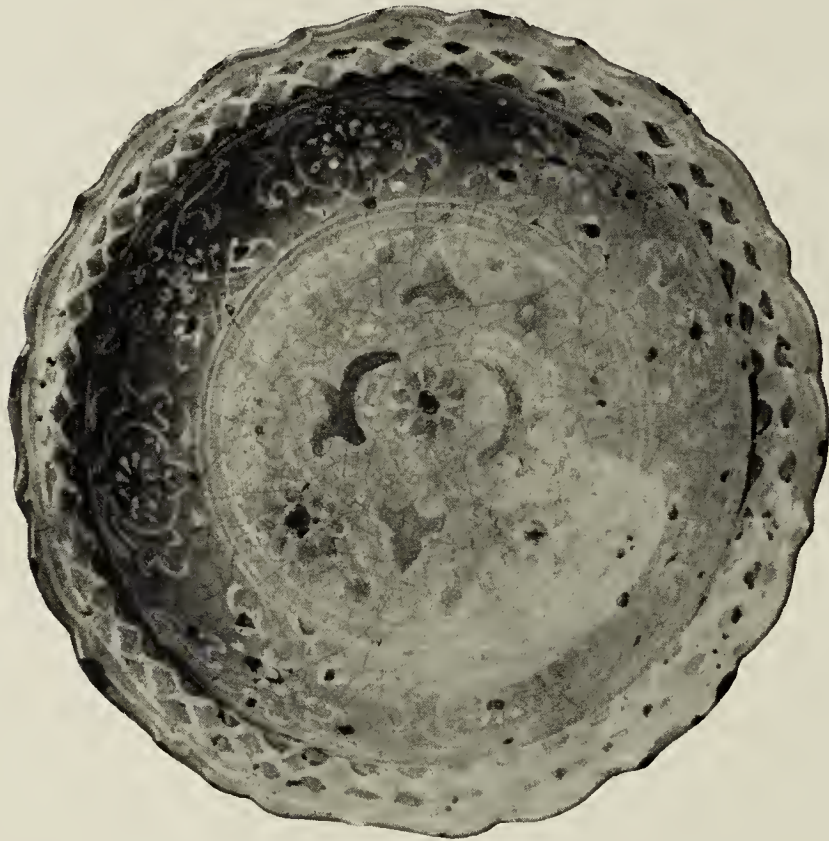
(*Sixteenth Century*)

Height, 9¾ inches

575⁰⁰
Cylindrical body, with flat bracket handle. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the body, with sprays of pointed serrated leaves and flowers, on a blue ground, in white reserve with touches of red and green enamels. Above and below are borders of interlacements in white reserve on a green ground. The handle is scrolled in blue.

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(*Illustrated*)



No. 266

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE (Sixteenth Century)

375⁰⁰

Diameter, 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

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Circular shape, with curved rim and scalloped edge. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a large circular medallion of flowers and foliage in brown and light blue, and as to the rim, with a checkered patterning of blue and red. The back is decorated with a scrolled pattern of white and red with blue and brown medallions.

No. 267

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE DEEP DISH (Sixteenth Century)

325⁰⁰

Diameter, 14 inches

G. E. Lanes

Circular shape, with scalloped edge. Invested with a green glaze and decorated, as to the center, with a design of leaf scrollings, and as to the rim, to match. All in underglaze black.

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No. 268

RHODIAN FAIENCE VASE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

725⁰⁰

Height, 15 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

B. E. Carver

Pear-shaped body, with tall cylindrical bulbous neck and spreading foot. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated in blue, green and red enamel and gold, as to the body, with scrolled sprays of carnations, tulips and hyacinths separated by cypress trees, as to the shoulder, with vertical paneling, and as to the neck, with floral sprays and cypress trees.

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No. 269

RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

(*Twelfth Century*)

45⁰⁰

Height, 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

A. Khayr

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and outcurved rim. Invested with a peacock blue glaze stopping short of the base, and decorated, in black, with a band of Arabic inscription. Largely iridescent.

No. 270

SULTANABAD FAIENCE BOWL

(*Thirteenth Century*)

100¹²

Height, 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches; diameter, 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

C. Levy

Coupe-shaped, with broad flat rim. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze and decorated, in black, as to the interior with radiating panels of Persian inscriptions in blue, separated by panels of scrolled leaf design, and as to the exterior, with similar radiating panels of scrolled ornamentation.

No. 271

RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

(*Twelfth Century*)

70⁰⁰

Height, 7 inches

C. E. Carpenter

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck. Invested with a cream-colored glaze flashed with turquoise-blue and decorated, in relief, with a scrolled patterning. Entirely coated with a silvery iridescence.

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No. 272

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE (Sixteenth Century)

385⁰⁰

Diameter, 15½ inches

by Albert

Circular shape, with flat rim. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated, in blue, green and brown, as to the center, with a medallion enclosing a spray of flowers and leaves, and as to the rim, with a scrolled design of flowers and leaves.

From the Thomas B. Clarke Collection.

(Illustrated)

No. 273

KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE (Sixteenth Century)

325⁰⁰

Diameter, 12¼ inches

Circular shape, with curved rim. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated, in blue, green, yellow and brown, as to the center with a medallion, enclosing a pointed rock form in blue surrounded by flower forms, and surrounded by a double border of leaf forms, and as to the rim, with a border of imbrications.

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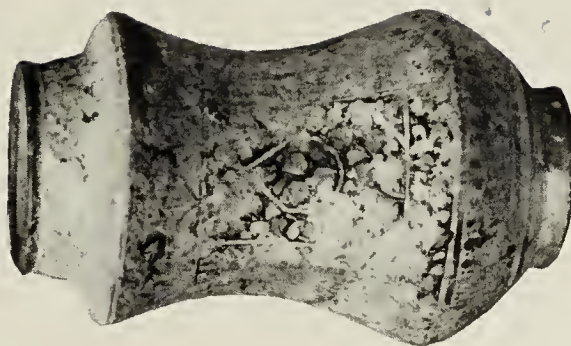
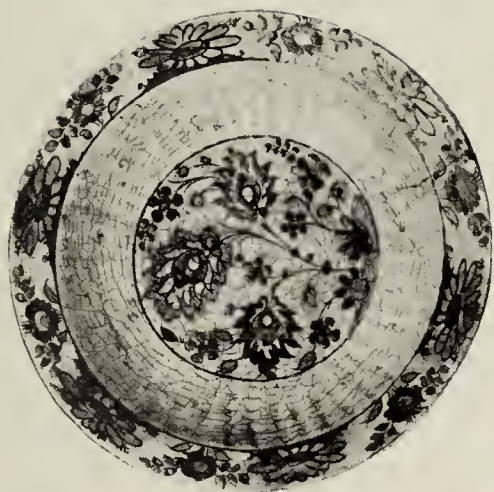
KOUBATCHA FAIENCE PLATE (Sixteenth Century)

325⁰⁰

Diameter, 13½ inches

Circular shape. Coated with a crackled cream-colored glaze, and elaborately decorated in blue, copper red, green, yellow and brown, with conventional flowers, grasses in the center and a wave design surrounding the border.

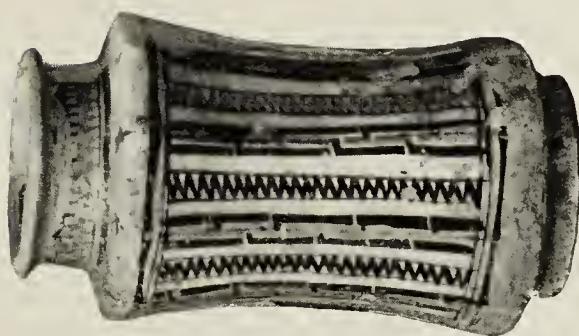
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No. 275

RAKKA FAIENCE ALBARELLO

(Twelfth Century)

70 00

Height, $9\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Mr. Kouchazki

Octagonal-shaped body, with incurved sides and rim. Invested with a greenish-white glaze and decorated with vertical panels of zigzag patterning in blue and black. Around the shoulder is a band of fleurettes in black. On one side is a splash of vivid green glaze.

(Illustrated)

No. 276

SYRIO-EGYPTIAN FAIENCE BOWL

(Ninth Century)

70 00

Height, $3\frac{3}{4}$ inches; diameter, 7 inches

Long

Coupe-shaped, with straight sides. Invested with a cream-colored glaze and decorated, in black, red and blue, as to the interior, with a central medallion of oval interlacements surrounded by volutes and surrounded by a broad band of medallions occupied by birds and floral scrolls and separated by curving sprays of fern-leaf form, and as to the inner rim, with a narrow border of blue and white reserve lined with black. The outer rim has a band of black. (Slightly restored.)

(Illustrated)

No. 277

SULTANABAD FAIENCE ALBARELLO

(Twelfth Century)

100 00

Mr. Kouchazki

Cylindrical form, with incurved sides, cylindrical neck and annular foot. Invested with a cream-colored glaze and decorated, in blue and black, with interlacements and bands of zigzag pattern enclosing flower and leaf forms, in white reserve outlined in black. Below is a band of vertical lines. Slight iridescence.

(Illustrated)

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No. 278

PANEL OF DAMASCUS FAIENCE TILES

(Fourteenth Century)

85-26

Height, 39 inches; width, 39 inches

L. Z. Noorani

Consisting of eight square and four oblong tiles, invested with a white glaze and decorated, in blue, green and brown, with a double curved band of rosettes in white reserve on a blue ground, branches of hyacinths, carnations and tulips and a conventional flower form in blue and green. This panel is surrounded by a double border of pointed-leaf forms in white reserve on blue and of a Saracenic "counter change" pattern in green and white. Framed.

No. 279

SYRIO-EGYPTIAN FAIENCE EWER

(Eighth Century)

35-26

Height, 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ inches

G. Albers

Pear-shaped body, slender cylindrical neck, looped handle and pointed lip. Invested with a fine crackled ivory-colored glaze and decorated with a sunken band of strapwork scrollings in low relief. Silvery iridescence.

No. 280

RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

(Twelfth Century)

115-26

Height, 8 inches

A. Khayyat

Pear-shaped vertically ribbed body, spreading foot and neck, and inversely scalloped rim. Invested with a turquoise-blue glaze appearing beneath incrustations and iridescence.

No. 281

RAKKA LUSTRED FAIENCE EWER

(Ninth Century)

38-26

Height, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches

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Pear-shaped and fluted body, cylindrical neck, spreading foot and looped handle. Invested with a cream-colored glaze and decorated, in brown lustre, with a band of inscription in cursive characters.



No. 282

RAKKA LUSTRED FAIENCE VASE

(Ninth Century)

Height, 9 inches

Metropolitan Museum

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Pear-shaped, cylindrical neck and annular rim. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze stopping short of the base and decorated, in lusted brown and blue, as to the body and shoulder with three bands of Arabic inscriptions in brown and two bands of interlacements and spirals in white reserve, and as to the neck, with a band of Arabic inscription. Silvery iridescence. (Slightly restored.)

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 283

RHAGES LUSTRED FAIENCE BOWL

(Twelfth Century)

40''

Height, $3\frac{1}{8}$ inches; diameter, $6\frac{7}{8}$ inches

G. Albert

Straight-sided coupe shape. Invested with a yellow glaze and decorated, as to the interior, with a band of cursive inscriptions around the rim in blue surrounded by a scrolled and palm-leaf pattern in yellow reserve. The exterior is paneled with roughly drawn scrolls.

No. 284

RAKKA LUSTRED FAIENCE VASE

(Ninth Century)

37''

Height, $4\frac{1}{4}$ inches

A. Khayr

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical neck and annular rim. Invested with a cream-colored glaze, stopping short of the base, and decorated, in brown lustre, green and blue, with a band of heart-shaped medallions and scrollings.

No. 285

PERSIAN FAIENCE VASE

(Fifteenth Century)

28''

Height, $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches

G. E. Lawrence

Bottle-shaped, with fluted sides and neck and rim of metal of a later date. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated in a floral spray and pointed-leaf design in copper lustre.

No. 286

PERSIAN FAIENCE FLOWER VASE (Sixteenth Century)

55''

Height, 8 inches

E. A. Khouri

Pear-shaped body, with five cylindrical necks of metal of a later date. Invested with a pale blue glaze, and decorated with spirally disposed bryony flowers and leaves in copper lustre.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 287

RHAGES FAIENCE BOWL *b. + e* (Eleventh Century)

5370

Height, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches; diameter, $8\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Leamisa

Coupe-shaped. Invested with an ivory-colored glaze, decorated, in turquoise and gray blues and brownish-red with black and brown outlines, as to the center of the interior with the figure of a princess on horseback surrounded by six repeats of the same design separated by medallions of interlacements, and as to the inner rim, with a border of meander lines interrupted by six medallions. Around the outer rim runs a band of Cufic inscription.

(Illustrated)

No. 288

RHAGES FAIENCE BOTTLE

(Eleventh Century)

4570

Height, $8\frac{1}{2}$ inches

R. H. Lorenz Agam

Pear-shaped, with long cylindrical neck. Invested with an ivory-colored glaze and decorated, in gray with touches of red enamel, as to the body with eight panels bordered in red and enclosing scrolled and diapered patternings, as to the shoulder with a band of interlacements, and as to the neck with a honeycomb diapered pattern with center of green and red, interrupted by circular medallions bordered with red.

(Illustrated)

No. 289

RHAGES FAIENCE BOWL

(Eleventh Century)

Passed

Height, 3 inches; diameter, $7\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Coupe-shaped, with curved sides and annular foot. Invested with an ivory-colored glaze and decorated, as to the center of the interior, in blue, black, red and gold, with the figure of a queen on horseback, encircled by four winged sphinxes in yellow with women's heads separated by medallions of interlacements. Around the inner rim is a border in black and blue based on Cufic characters, and the edge is decorated with a scalloped band in blue. Around the interior is a band of Cufic characters in black on white.

(Illustrated)



No. 287



No. 288



No. 289

No. 290

PERSIAN LUSTRED FAIENCE BOWL

(Sixteenth Century)

65-06
Height, $3\frac{1}{4}$ inches; diameter, $7\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Coupe-shaped, with straight sides. Invested with a fine white glaze and decorated, as to the interior, with a design of cypress tree forms, and as to the exterior, with leaf-shaped medallions and floral sprays—all in copper lustre.

No. 291

PERSIAN LUSTRED FAIENCE BOTTLE

(Sixteenth Century)

900-06
Height, $8\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, with slender cylindrical neck. Invested with a rich dark blue glaze, patterned with an all-over design in copper lustre of tulips and other flower forms, between borders of conventional design.

From the Thomas B. Clarke Collection.

No. 292

SYRIO-EGYPTIAN FAIENCE LAMPHOLDER

(Eighth Century)

100-06
Height, 5 inches

Cylindrical shape, with straight projecting carrying handle, supported on four sphinxlike feet, a large pointed arched opening on one side and a dome-shaped top. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated in brown, as to the body, in a design of birds and scrolls, as to the neck with a border of scroll design and a band of blue. The top is divided into eight pierced panels with a central medallion.



No. 293

RHAGES FAIENCE BOTTLE

(Eleventh Century)

Height, 12½ inches

3600

H. Albers

Pear-shaped body, with cylindrical, reversed pear-shaped neck, incurved rim and annular foot. Of a semi-porcelainous paste, invested with an ivory-white glaze and decorated, as to the body, with six raised and gilded scrolled and floral pendants enclosing heart-shaped medallions of green enamel and separated by raised and gilded pendants supported by seated human figures. Above is a band of Persian inscription in raised reserve on a gold ground and the shoulder is decorated with six spade-shaped medallions, with alternate red, blue and black grounds scrolled in contrasting colors and enclosing raised and gilded human figures. The neck is decorated with three raised and gilded pendants enclosing heart-shaped medallions of green enamel and separated by raised, gilded and scrolled pendants. The ground is decorated with waved lines of blue and white, and the bottle is banded at intervals in blue.

Note: Though of undoubted Rhages facture, this bottle represents a hitherto unknown school of decoration, and its counterpart is not to be found in any museum or private collection, so far as is known to its present owner.



No. 294

Uto Benne Agem

1050
RAKKA LUSTRE FAIENCE BOWL

(Ninth Century)

Height, $4\frac{1}{4}$ inches; diameter, $8\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Coupe-shaped, with incurved rim. Invested with an ivory-colored glaze and decorated, in brown lustre with passages of blue, as to the center with an inscription in Arabic characters, "Prosperity," surrounded by spiral whorls, and as to the inner rim with a cusped border, the cusps filled with leaf forms, and as to the exterior with a border of spiral whorls in line.



No. 295

G. Alberts

SULTANABAD FAIENCE BOWL

(Thirteenth Century)

Height, 3½ inches; diameter, 7¾ inches

725-00

Coupe-shaped, with annular foot. Invested with a thick ivory-colored glaze and decorated in black, as to the center of the interior, with a large medallion encircled by four large triangular shaped flowers with scrolled leaves. The exterior decorated, also in black, with scrolled interlacements and flowers, all betraying a Chinese influence.



No. 296

Mrs. Lorenz Agnew

RAKKA FAIENCE MOSQUE LAMP

(Twelfth Century)

Height, 10½ inches

57506

Cylindrical shape, on three sphinxlike feet, with domed top and arched opening. Invested with a crackled turquoise-blue glaze and decorated with sunken relief bands of Arabic inscriptions in black. The dome is patterned in relief with pierced interlacings and the side with panels of an interlaced patterning in low relief and pierced.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 297

3700
RAKKE LUSTRED FAIENCE VASE

(Ninth Century)

Height, 13 inches

Elto Berner Agenc

Pear-shaped, with cylindrical neck and outcurved rim. Invested with a heavy turquoise-blue glaze stopping short of the base and decorated in relief with a pattern of palm-leaf forms, in black. The ground between is dotted in black. (Restored.)

Note: This and No. 300 are typical of the first Rakka ware which reached Europe. M. Migeon in his "Manual of Moslem Art," published in 1907, notes only three known examples, one of which, a counterpart of No. 300, was in the du Cane Godman Collection.

No. 298

15250
RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

(Twelfth Century)

Height, 25½ inches

Elto Berner Agenc

Pear-shaped, with large cylindrical neck, outcurved rim, and three round looped handles with baluster-shaped finials. Invested with a cream-colored glaze flashed with turquoise-blue and stopping short of the base. Decorated with bands of sunken relief ornamentation of dotted, reticulated and diagonally fluted design. Entirely coated with an exceptionally rich silvery iridescence.

Note: This magnificent vase or jar was exhumed on the plain of El-Jazireh a few months before the outbreak of the present war.

No. 299

3700
RAKKA FAIENCE VASE

(Ninth Century)

Height, 18½ inches

Elto Berner Agenc

Pear-shaped, with cylindrical neck and outcurved rim. Invested with a cream-colored glaze flashed with dark blue and stopping short of the base, and decorated, as to the body, with Cufic inscriptions and vertical panels of scroll design in relief. Rich silvery iridescence.

No. 300

By Alberto
(Eleventh Century)

RHAGES FAIENCE BOWL

3600"

Height, 5 inches; diameter, 11½ inches

Coupe-shaped, with straight sides and high annular foot. Of semi-porcelainous paste, invested with a fine crackled ivory-white glaze. Decorated, as to the center of the interior, with a circular medallion formed by lines of purple and gold and containing the figure of a queen, habited in a blue robe dotted with gold and riding through a flowery landscape on a horse rendered in manganese. The medallion is surrounded by a band of gold and by a broader band of Persian inscriptions raised, gilded and interrupted by four lozenge-shaped medallions of alternate purple and gold. Around the inner rim runs a band of thirteen sphinxes with women's heads and winged tigers' bodies colored alternately in green, blue and manganese. The exterior is decorated with a band of Saracenic interlacements in gold and blue.

Note: This bowl is considered to be one of the most notable examples of the rare Rhages ware in existence and in paste, glaze and decoration is worthy of being classed with the celebrated Rhages cup formerly in Mr. Tabbagh's Collection.

(Illustrated on Cover)

No. 301

Pasud

RAKKA LUSTRED FAIENCE MOSQUE LAMP

(Ninth Century)

Height, 16 inches

Rectangular shape, with a domed top surmounted by a minaret-shaped finial with four similar finials at the angles, and two arched openings, on four feet. Invested with a crackled cream-colored glaze and decorated, in brown lustre, with Cufic inscriptions and a scrolled patterning. The dome is pierced with star-shaped openings and decorated with four medallions in blue and the sides have arched panels of pierced interlacements. On the floor of the interior is the signature of the potter, "Mohammed, son of Omar."



No. 302

RHAGES FAIENCE EWER

Passed
(Eleventh Century)

Height, 18 $\frac{7}{8}$ inches

Pear-shaped body, cylindrical neck and twisted looped handle. Invested with a fine turquoise-blue glaze and decorated in brown, white and gold with nine panels framed by pointed serrated leaf forms and enclosing two rosetted ornamentations. Around the neck and shoulder are inscriptions in Cufic characters consisting of a repetition of the name "Abd-el-Malek."

PERSIAN MINIATURES

Of the Fourteenth to the Sixteenth Centuries, Painted in
Gold and Colors and of the

BEHZAD, RIZA-ABBASI, TIMOURIDE, INDO-
PERSIAN AND OTHER SCHOOLS

No. 303

C. + E. Carassa
(Sixteenth Century)

50 "
PERSIAN ILLUMINATION

Height, $9\frac{3}{4}$ inches; width, $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Painted, in gold and colors, from a MS. of one of Nizami's works. Panel of Persian text surrounded by panels of quatrefoil interlacements with a border of Saracenic trefoils.

No. 304

A. Khayyat
(Sixteenth Century)

40 "
PERSIAN ILLUMINATION

Height, 8 inches; width, 5 inches

Painted in gold and colors. By Ali-el-Kateb. Page of Persian text surrounded by a border of birds and flowers silhouetted in gray on a ground of dotted blue.

No. 305

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40 "
INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, $6\frac{1}{4}$ inches; width, 5 inches

Painted in gold and colors. By a miniaturist of the school of Akbar. In a palace courtyard and under a pavilion on whose roof a bird is perched. Shah Parviz sits listening to a band of musicians and singers who are grouped around a fountain in which ducks are swimming. Landscape background with a large tree.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 306

INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Seventeenth Century)

1570

Height, $7\frac{1}{2}$ inches; width, $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Mrs. Lorey Agnew

Painted in gold and colors. On the marble-paved terrace of a palace two bayadères, one Hindu and one Persian, are dancing with clasped hands. They wear the typical dress of their class, embroidered tights, and folds of filmy draperies. Two trees rise at the edge of the terrace with three shrubs in full blossom. Beyond these stretches a green lawn, fading above into a sky of gray and purple.

No. 307

INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Seventeenth Century)

8700

Height, 6 inches; width, 4 inches

A. Khayal

Painted in gold and colors. Based on an Italian Cinquecento painting of an Annunciation. The Virgin in a red robe and blue mantle holds in one hand a vase and spray of flowers and listens to the Angel, who is shown without wings. Surrounded by a border of conventional flowers and scrolls in gold and colors on a light ground.

No. 308

INDO-PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

8300

Height, $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches; width, $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Painted in India ink. By Mohammed of Ispahan. Figure of a lion secured by a chain attached to a broad collar. Signed: "Mohammed-el-Ispahani."

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 309 *A Khayar*
(Sixteenth Century)

45-00
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, $3\frac{7}{8}$ inches; width, $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. By a miniaturist of the school of Shah Mahmoud. The poet Saadi, in a blue robe with a gold mantle and a white turban with gold ornaments, kneels and writes in a book held in his left hand.

No. 310 *b + E. Carreia*
(Sixteenth Century)

35-00
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 6 inches; width, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Bustan of Saadi. Episode in the war between the Persians and Mongolians. The former on horseback, the latter on an elephant, attack each other with drawn swords.

No. 311 *h x h*
(Sixteenth Century)

100-00
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 9 inches; width, $5\frac{3}{4}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of Nizami's Khamsah. In the courtyard of a palace the Shah Thamarp and his wife are seated listening to the poem recited by one of the courtiers. In the background a Persian garden is seen through a curtained opening. Above are panels of calligraphy.

No. 312 *M. Kouchayki*
(Sixteenth Century)

100-00
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, $10\frac{1}{4}$ inches; width, $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of one of Nizami's works. An engagement, in a rocky landscape, between two troops of horsemen armed with shields, swords and spears. Mutilated bodies are scattered in every direction, a bugler sounds his long trumpet and the standard-bearer waves a red pennant. In the background other horsemen watch the combat. Above and below are panels of calligraphy.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 313

A. Thayer
(Sixteenth Century)

PERSIAN MINIATURE

70 06 — Height, 5½ inches; width, 3¾ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of Nizami's *Laila and Majnun*. In a landscape of rosy-colored rocks and crags Laila sits and receives the homage of wild beasts, who are shown in profusion. Above is a sky of solid gold.

No. 314

E. Carpenter
(Sixteenth Century)

PERSIAN MINIATURE

61 01 — Height, 11 inches; width, 6½ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of one of Nizami's works. In a palace courtyard the king and queen, surrounded by their courtiers, discuss the affairs of their daughter, who looks out of a window on the left, while her lover stands below. Above and below are panels of calligraphy.

No. 315

E. Carpenter
(Sixteenth Century)

PERSIAN MINIATURE

130 02 — Height, 8 inches; width, 4¼ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Shah Mahmud dated 1522 A.D. Bahram Gur, seated on a golden throne, with palace buildings in the background, is receiving contributions from his ministers, who are accompanied by their slaves. In the foreground is seen an old woman bringing him a message from Zuleika, who appears on a balcony above. On the right is a brook, beyond which three bearers of offerings are approaching. Above and below are panels of text, and the whole is surrounded by a border painted in gold on an ivory ground.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 316

76 *oe*
PERSIAN MINIATURE

a. Khayyat
(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 10 inches; width, 6¼ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Shah Namah. In his royal tent the shah, surrounded by his courtiers, watches the execution of a man who lies before him, with a soldier leaning above and stabbing him with a curved dagger. In the background is a rocky landscape with trees. Panels of calligraphy.

No. 317

4 J *oe*
PERSIAN MINIATURE

u u
(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 6 inches; width, 4½ inches

Painted in gold and colors. By a miniaturist of the school of Herat. Shah Ismail and one of his wives, seated outside a tent pitched in an open landscape, listens to a band of musicians and singers. In the background are other tents and a landscape with trees.

No. 318

5 J *oe*
PERSIAN MINIATURE

u u
(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 7 inches; width, 5¼ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Shah Mahmud and dated 1522 A.D. Zuleika, with her attendants, listens to a group of musicians playing on the banks of a stream. Beside her stands Bahram Gur. Surrounded by a border of foliage and animals painted in gold on an ivory ground.

No. 319

70 *oe*
PERSIAN MINIATURE

m. Konechahi
(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 5¾ inches; width, 5 inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of Nizami's Khamsah. A combat of warriors in a rocky landscape. Some are mounted on camels, some on horseback, others on foot. Mutilated bodies are strewn everywhere.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 320

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Sixteenth Century)

Height, 5¼ inches; width, 4 inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. of one of Nizami's works. In the interior of the palace Bahram Gur is kneeling before his father, who admonishes him and orders him to leave the country. The news is being brought to Zuleika by her father. Above and below are panels of calligraphy and the whole is surrounded by a ground of powdered gold.

No. 321

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Fifteenth Century)

Height, 10¼ inches; width, 6¾ inches

Painted in gold and colors. By the miniaturist Mirak. In the interior of his palace, Shah Khousrau sits on a divan watching two dancing girls who dance to the music of instrumentalists and singers. At the right is a group of courtiers and in the background three cypress trees. Below are panels of calligraphy.

No. 322

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(Fifteenth Century)

Height, 6¾ inches; width, 4¼ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Bustan of Saadi. By a miniaturist of the school of Behzad. In a palace courtyard a youth is dancing to the music of a group of instrumentalists and singers, while a servant hands refreshments to the onlookers. From the palace windows members of the Harem look on. In the background, through a gateway is seen a landscape with cypress and blossoming almond trees. Surrounded by a border painted in gold and colors of quatrefoil medallions connected by Saracenic interlacements.

No. 323

W. Paul
(Fifteenth Century)

PERSIAN MINIATURE

1300

Height, 9 inches; width, $5\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. Bustan of Saadi. By a miniaturist of the school of Behzad. In a palace courtyard the shah and his courtiers are partaking of refreshments. In the foreground are other courtiers playing games, while others listen to a story-teller. In the background is a Persian garden with cypress and almond trees, while through a gate on the left is seen a gardener at work. Surrounded by a border painted in gold and rich colors of quatrefoil medallions enclosing Persian inscriptions and connected by Saracenic interlacements.

No. 324

Mr. Kouchakhi
(Fifteenth Century)

PERSIAN MINIATURE

300

Height, $4\frac{5}{8}$ inches; width, $5\frac{3}{8}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. By a miniaturist of the Mongolian school. On the left a king, followed by his courtiers, approaches the door of a palace. On the right is a mosque with dome and minaret, in front of which are two figures lightly sketched in. In the background is a landscape with trees and flowers.

(Illustrated)

No. 325

11
(Fifteenth Century)

PERSIAN MINIATURE

280

Height, $5\frac{5}{8}$ inches; width, $5\frac{3}{8}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. By a miniaturist of the Mongolian school. On the right is a warrior in pointed helmet on horseback riding through a fire of faggots and surrounded by flames. On the left is a palace with a king and queen at an open window. Landscape background, with four figures and blue sky.

(Illustrated)



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Second and Last Afternoon

No. 326

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

138⁰⁰

Height, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches; width, $1\frac{7}{8}$ inches

G. Alberts

Painted in India ink, with washes of color. From a MS. of Nizami's "Laila and Majnun." Attributed to Seyyed Ahmed of Tabriz. Laila sits on a ledge of rock in a mountainous desert, while a lion, a bear, a leopard and other animals pay homage to her. In the foreground her lover, the shepherd Majnun, tends his flock of sheep. Surrounded by a border of scroll patterning in gold on a rose-colored ground and mounted on a panel painted in simulation of grained wood.

(*Illustrated*)

No. 327

45⁰⁰

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

G. Alberts

Height, $6\frac{1}{2}$ inches; width, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches

Painted in India ink and sepia. By Mahomed-el-Khajin. An old man seated on an emaciated horse, with a dog running before him. Above, three birds are flying, and the sky is flecked with conventional clouds. Signed and dated 920 A.H. (1514 A.D.).

(*Illustrated*)

No. 328

PERSIAN MINIATURE

(*Sixteenth Century*)

125⁰⁰

Height, 4 inches; width, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches

G. Alberts

Painted in gold and colors. By the celebrated miniaturist Riza Abbari. Figure of an artist sitting cross-legged under the shade of a conventional tree. In one hand he holds a pen, in the other a red ink bottle. From the realistic character of the face this is evidently a portrait. Surrounded by a border of counter trefoiled pattern in red, gold and black on a blue ground. Above are four panels of calligraphy and a decoration in gold and colors. Signed by the artist: "Riza Abbasi."



No. 327



No. 326



No. 329 *by Alberts*
(Fifteenth Century)

260 *"*
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches; width, 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches

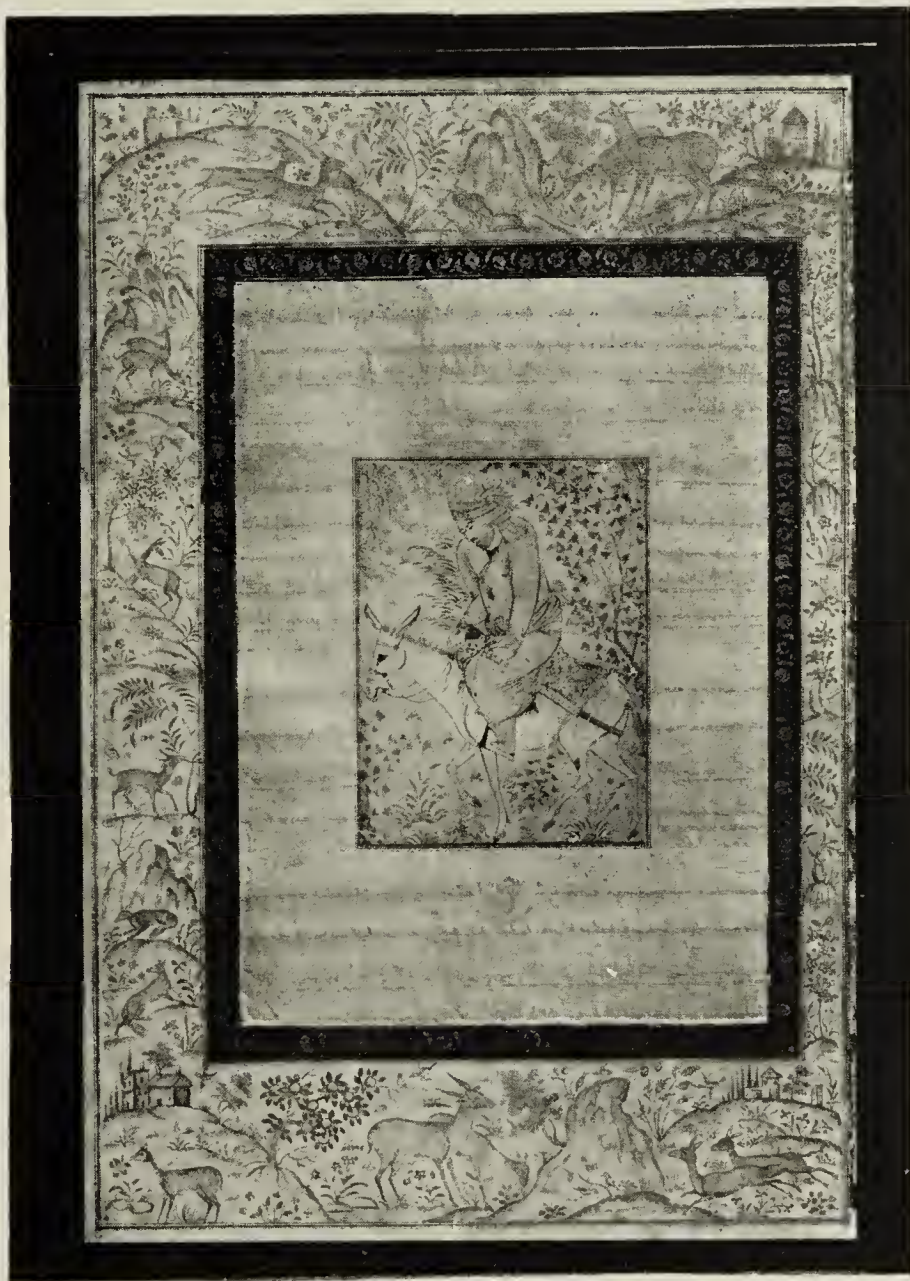
Painted in India ink, with light washes of color. By the celebrated miniaturist Behzad. In the foreground of a rocky landscape are seen two cranes and many birds of other species. In the background is a tree, in the branches of which is the name of the artist, "Behzad."

No. 330 *by Kouchakhi*
(Sixteenth Century)

90 *"*
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 7 inches; width, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Shah Mahmoud, dated 1522 A.D. In an open meadow are three tents, in one of which Bahram Gur is standing with his wife, who holds a child in her arms. In another, two women are conversing. Outside an old man leans upon a stick, another plays a pipe, goats and gazelles nurse their young, while on the trees birds are perched. Surrounded by a border of foliage and animals in gold on an ivory ground.



No. 331

Miss Lorena Agnew
(Sixteenth Century)

625-11
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 6¼ inches; width, 4½ inches

Painted in India ink, heightened with touches of gold and color. By a miniaturist of the school of Riza Abbasi. Inam, wearing a turban of light blue, is seated on a donkey, drawn with astonishing realism. Surrounded by an inner border rosetted in gold on a red ground and by a broad border of rocks with trees and birds in gold on a pale purple ground.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 332

C. Lenz
(Sixteenth Century)

1580
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 7 inches; width, 5 inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Shah Mahmoud and dated 1522 A.D. On one side of a brook are pitched tents, in one of which sit Bahram Gur and Khousrau. In another a woman prepares food, while a butcher near by is cutting up meat. On the other side of the brook a woman is boiling food over a fire, and in the brook Bahram's son is bathing. Surrounded by a border of flowers, animals and birds in gold on an ivory-colored ground.

No. 333

Et E. Canessa
(Sixteenth Century)

6010
PERSIAN MINIATURE

Height, 6 inches; width, 4 inches

Painted in gold and colors. From a MS. illustrated by Shah Mahmoud and dated 1522 A.D. Beneath a canopy Zuleika sits weeping, while her mother and two attendants endeavor to console her. In the foreground is her father in an attitude of grief. Surrounded by a border of animals and birds in gold on an ivory-tinted ground.

ANTIQUE PERSIAN AND TURKISH RUGS

Chiefly of the Seventeenth Century

No. 334

T. K. Ellis
(Seventeenth Century)

14000
TURKISH PRAYER RUG

Length, 6 feet 3 inches; width, 4 feet

Kulah weave. The pointed-arch mihrab, with a red ground, is decorated by a vertical stalk of oval leaves and profile trefoils in yellow. The sky extending down the sides is of light blue, patterned with yellow trefoils. Above is a panel with dark blue ground. Triple inner guard, with broad band of flower forms on a yellow ground, border of blocks of twelve flower forms in alternate colorings on a white ground, and double outer guard of a band of S-curves in red and blue on a yellow ground and a band of dark ground.

No. 335

E. A. Khouri

CAUCASIAN RUG

(*Seventeenth Century*)

6000

Length, 6 feet 4 inches; width, 3 feet 9 inches

Daghestan weave. The field of a rich, but variegated, green is patterned with rosettes and flower and leaf forms in white, red, blue and yellow. The wide inner guard is of a hook and conventional leaf pattern in white with red and yellow flowers on a dark blue ground. The border is patterned on a red ground, with flower forms in yellow, blue and black, and the outer guard is a repeat of the inner guard.

No. 336

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PERSIAN RUG

(*Seventeenth Century*)

9000

Length, 5 feet 10 inches; width, 4 feet

Farahan weave. The field is occupied with a diaper pattern of interlacements, rosettes and leaf forms in red, white and turquoise-blue on a dark blue ground. Inner and outer guards of a rosetted zigzag pattern in red and yellow on a green ground. Border of interlacements, palmettes, medallions and leaf forms in white, blue and yellow on a red ground.

No. 337

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TURKISH PRAYER RUG

21000

Length, 6 feet 8 inches; width, 4 feet 2 inches

Kulah weave. Mihrab with dark blue field, double-stepped arch, central flower stalk and profile flowers at sides. Sky with blue, brown and rose-colored flower forms on a yellow ground, repeated below. Panels above and below of floral sprays on a dark ground. Triple inner and outer guards and border of rows of small flower forms in alternating colors on a white ground.

No. 338

E. A. Khouri
(Eighteenth Century)

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

Length, 6 feet; width, 4 feet

90" —
Bergamo weave. The pointed and stepped-arch mihrab has a brown field, with an all-over pattern of vase forms, flowers and leaves in red, yellow and blue. The sky is of dark blue, patterned with flowers, rosettes and leaf forms. The triple inner guard has a broad band of light blue, with a scrolled patterning in red and dark blue. The border is of meander pattern, with carnation blossoms and leaves in red and blue and the triple outer guard has a band with dark ground between two narrow stripes of red.

87" —
No. 339

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Seventeenth Century)

Length, 5 feet 6 inches; width, 3 feet 7 inches

Milas weave. Mihrab with red field, pointed arch and decoration of four varicolored lonzege-shaped medallions. Sky patterned, on a white ground, with red, light and dark blue and yellow flower forms. Triple inner guard, with alternating bands of light and dark blue and red. Border of medallions and flower forms in brown, white, red and blue on a yellow ground. Triple outer guard of band of quatrefoils on a white ground between serrated stripes of red, blue and yellow.

No. 340

G. L. Reilly
(Seventeenth Century)

TURKISH RUG

60" —
Length, 6 feet; width, 4 feet 8 inches

Ghiordes weave. The pointed-arched mihrab has a rich red ground with soffits and borders of a hook pattern in white and red on a blue and green ground. Above is a panel with blue ground, patterned with flower forms in red and white. The triple inner and outer guards are of red and white rosetted bands of blue between narrow stripes of red scrolled in yellows. The border is of bold flower forms and palmettes with hyacinth blossoms and leaves in red, white and blue on an amber yellow ground.

(Illustrated)



No. 340

TURKISH RUG

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 341

E. K. Ellis

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Seventeenth Century)

220 12

Length, 6 feet 3 inches; width, 4 feet

Kulah weave. The mihrab, with pointed and stepped arch, has a green ground decorated with a vertical stalk of blossoms in yellow, red and black. The blue sky, extended in vertical panels down the side of the mihrab, has an imbricated pattern in yellow. The triple inner guard is patterned on a yellow ground with S-scrolls in red, blue and white, the border has a pattern of highly conventionalized flower forms in red, yellow, blue and buff on a white ground, and the outer guard is of dark brown patterned with floral sprays in red and blue.

No. 342

Mr. Kouchajski

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Seventeenth Century)

190 00

Length, 5 feet 10 inches; width, 4 feet

Kulah weave. The mihrab with a red field and pointed arch is flanked by two narrow vertical panels with rows of yellow flowers in profile, and has a mosque lamp medallion. The sky is of light blue, with a diapered pattern in blue and yellow. Above and below are panels patterned in yellow, white and light blue on dark blue grounds. Triple inner and outer guards, with bands of flower forms between narrow stripes of red and blue. Border of flower forms in red, yellow and turquoise blue on a dark blue ground.

No. 343

E. A. Khouri

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Sixteenth Century)

110 00

Length, 6 feet 4 inches; width, 4 feet

Ladik weave. The triple-arched mihrab has a field in two shades of blue, the sky is red patterned with flower forms in blue and green, and below is a panel with red ground and five pendent lily forms in light blue. The triple inner guard is a broad band of meander pattern in white, red and blue on a brown ground between narrow stripes of red and blue. The border is patterned with rosettes and lilies in blue, yellow and white on a red ground, and the outer guard repeats the inner except that the meander is in red on a blue ground.

Second and Last Afternoon

No. 344

H. K. Ellis

TURKISH PRAYER RUG

(Seventeenth Century)

Length, 7 feet 2 inches; width, 5 feet 3 inches

575-06
Ghiordes weave. The stepped and pointed-arch mihrab, with a light green ground, is decorated with a floral mosque lamp medallion in light colors and dark blue and surrounded by profile flowers. The sky is of dark green, patterned with scrolled branches of flowers and leaves. Above and below are panels with dark ground. The triple inner and outer guards have broad bands of floral sprays in red and light blue on yellow grounds, and the border is of conventionalized vases and flowers in high coloring and dark blue ground.

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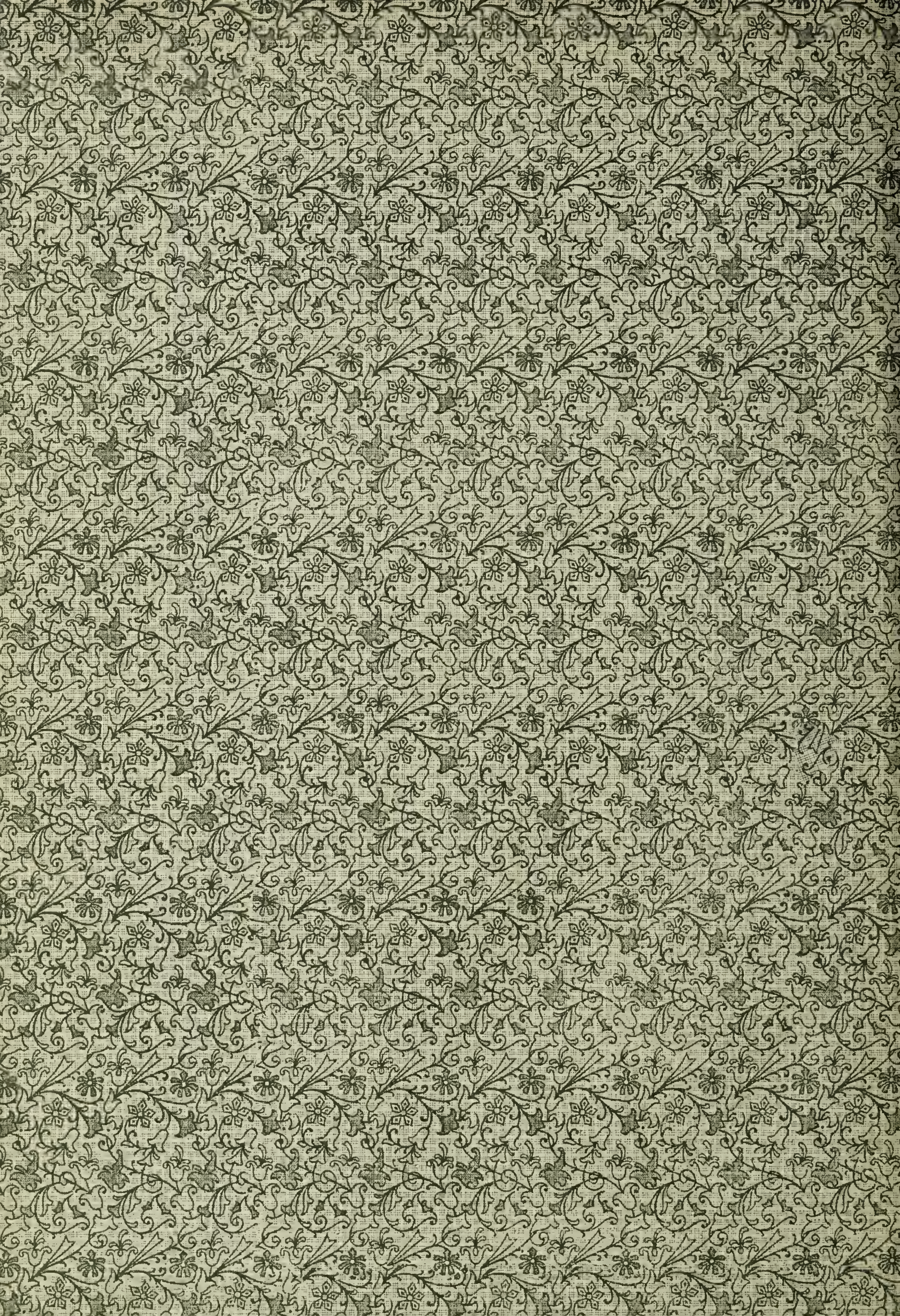
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